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WASHINGTON DOTS.

Gordon—The Yanks Have no Use for Southern Ante-Bellum Politicians.

Old Cotton Tax—Probel and His Big Gutter—The Great Canal.

General Dubose Makes a Good Lick.

WASHINGTON, January 27, 1873.

Editors Constitution: There is quite a feeling of relief here that the Senatorial elections in several States are at last over. The contest in Georgia excited much interest in Washington political circles. The election of General Gordon gives universal satisfaction. The Legislature can feel assured that they have done a good thing for Georgia. Gordon will be well received here, and he can be of more service to the State than either of his distinguished competitors could possibly have been.

We may as well recognize the fact at once that Southern ante-bellum politicians can do for people no good here, however great their abilities may be. This is an unpalatable truth, but no one can be here long without becoming perfectly convinced of it.

COTTON TAX.

The House to-day refused, by a vote of 78 to 105 to instruct the Committee on Ways and Means to report the cotton tax bill, known as the Perce or McKee bill. This is the bill that Ex-Governor H. V. Johnson is interested in. The friends of the bill managed it badly. It is barely possible that action may be had during the present session upon some other bill to refund the cotton tax. The committee takes the ground that the government had the right to tax cotton that was exported, and as they estimate that two-thirds were exported, they are in favor of refunding two-thirds of the tax. My own impression is, that nothing will be done with it this session. The franking privilege was abolished to-day by a large majority.

PROBEL AND HIS GUTTER.

The 13th day of February has been set for the Atlantic and Great Western Canal bill in the House. We are sanguine of its passage. We have found strong friends where we least expected it.

Colonel Probel has been invited to argue the merits of the enterprise before the special committee, of which Senator Windom is chairman, on Tuesday evening, 28th instant. His argument before the House committee excited great interest, and was printed by order of the committee. This is the only instance on record where the argument of a private individual has been printed by order of the committee, except in cases of contested elections.

DU BOSE.

The speech of Hon. D. M. DuBose on the canal, delivered on the 11th, has excited much interest in Congress, and has made for General DuBose an enviable reputation. It was an able speech, and would do great credit to much older and more experienced members than General DuBose. It has given him an influence here possessed by no other member of his age. He will leave Congress very much regretted. W. H. W.

TOUR OF EUROPE.

The Atlanta Constitution Gives its Readers its Own Most Racy, Graphic, Gossiping Narrative of a Trip Over the Sea to the Old World.

Afloat—Sea-Sick, or the Few Version of Casting Your Bread on the Waters—The Returning Maiden-Trip Gossip—Life on the Way—Canadian Loyalty and Yankee Patriotism—God save the Queen and Yankee Doodle—Scenery—Land, Ho!

I admit at the start that I posed the wide ocean "strange countries for tree;" but I was as innocent of an intention to bore the good people of Georgia with an account of my wanderings as Rip Van Wink was of a desire for a reception by Henick Hudson's ghostly crew. In an evil hur a zealous editor of THE CONSTITUTION card of my notes, and issued an order that they should be printed. On him rests the sad responsibility.

Behold, then, a green travel—one who had never rounded Hatteras, who had scarcely seen salt-water—is fit subject for the complacent platitudes of the veteran witerer. And if these notes have value or fitness, you will soon see that it is because oy contain the expressions and notions of xperience. The curtain rises disclosing a bu pier in

NEW YORK HARBOR.

A bell rings. Bells have rung before, but that bell was a very singular o; it must have spoken to the people in mysterious tones, for everybody on deck—kept your correspondent, and he felt like t straightway fell to hugging and kissing, wringing the hands of the nearest person, thout distinction of sex, color, etc. A is fired, away go the gang-planks, and t are off. As the ship backs out and swi around, those left behind gather on he end of the pier, and stand there, sea of umbrellas, from under wh they wave scores of white handkerchs. The rain is falling in torrents, makin it very difficult to distinguish between thers shed by the people and by the umbrells on this point, therefore, we must be exc from an estimate. After passing a Rtish man-of-war—in honor of which the Brh colors are dipped—we abandon the beautiful pay to the fog and rain and go below fo lunch, and to secure an eligible seat at the able for the voyage. To my mind the first choice of seats is the one that affords the best line for a hasty retreat up the companion-way. One link still connects us with the tates—the pilot. He offers to take back letters that we wish to send; and then, when we are safely outside of Sandy Hook, he ds us good-bye, and America is a memory.

WERE YOU SEA-SICK?

Yes, I was. There is a good deal in an honest confession, and I may as well take a clean breast of it. The bell called to dinner at four o'clock, and all was well I sit down as nonchalant as you please, calm defiance of the old man of the sea, but I soon become conscious of trouble—not feel well myself. The wind is freshing, too—the yeasty hills are playing hide-and-seek; a nasty night is before us. I feel it, but I bear up manfully until the o'clock tea. Just one look at that table "fixed" me, and I do not stand upon or der of my going either, but rush on d cast my bread upon the waters. It not return. After I had bountifully fed the little whales that were, doubtless, ling down at the bottom, the chilliness of fair

drives me to my berth. Oh, that state-room! with those round horse collars locked to the ceiling right over my prostrate body, so deathly sick—so sick that I could not reach for one of them if the vessel were going down, down among the dead men's bones. The only hope is that she will founder suddenly. She persists in floating though, and I endure the ever-recurring pangs and spasms, believing that a week of such nights is to come.

About noon of the next day, my friends urge me to exchange the multitudinous smells of the horrid cabin for the fresh air of the quarter deck; and as my clothes had forgotten to fall off when I retired last evening, the job of rising, to my astonishment is actually accomplished. The air being cold I seek the lee of the Captain's deck house, where sits a young girl from the north of Ireland. Poor thing, she is down with the same complaint; and, out of that falling that makes misery like company, I speak to her, and she tells me about her stay of three long years in America—how she had never been contented, and was going back to her old home. What is dsence her story had, or the sea biscuit that I nibbled, or the cold clear air, I cannot tell—I do know there came steadily over me a conviction that I was escaping the grip of the Sea-King. Is it fair, any way, for Old Nep. to strike below the belt? At dinner I eat sparingly and with many misgivings; but from that time I begin to get my sea-legs on. I never felt very sure of them, however. In good weather the sea is not dreadful. True, only seventeen turned out for the first breakfast—the rest were not hungry. It goes hardest with the ladies, but given time enough, they, too, get on their—bloom again. I am sure we will find a pleasanter subject in

OUR FELLOW-BOARDERS.

If you want to find all kinds of folks in one cage, select a boat of the great Atlantic ferry. On my right at the cabin table, is a middle-aged gentlemen from Australia *via* California, on his way around the world; on my left is a young man, a foreigner from New Jersey, going to Scotland to receive a considerable fortune bequeathed by an uncle; and so it is all through the cabin. All sorts of people from all over the world, are gathered together; and, before we separate, we know each other, and more or less of each one's character, pursuit and object of travel.

The Anchor Line is a Scotch line; its officers are Scotchmen; and, I believe, all good Caledonians make it a point to cross on its boats—certainly, the broad speech, the whi-r of one-half of our fellow travelers establish their descent from the land of Burns. One of them is a member of the Canadian Parliament; if he makes laws as well as he sings Scotch ballads, he will do to tie to. Among the native-born, is an odd genius, a photographer, also a shrewd, witty farmer; they are respectively known as "Jersey" and "Illinois," and are unfailing sources of amusement. The ladies are pleasant and sociable and all that, but when it comes right down to good looks they have not got them dangerously—the good looking lasses somehow stayed ashore.

LIFE ON THE OCEAN WAVE.

Twelve days of "ocean's gray and melancholy waste" is a trifle more than is agreeable. I am sure there are some of your readers who have never been rocked in the cradle of the deep, and who, wise souls, never intend to be: would they care to know the average routine of weariness with us? Oatmeal porridge at seven in the morning (I have no personal knowledge of the fact), breakfast at 8:30; until the noon-day lunch, brain and muscle are devoted to shuffle-board, a game that consists in shoving round blocks across the deck on to squares bearing different numbers. Those who can't get a chance to play, walk, talk, smoke, grumble, read, or speculate on the speed of the boat; from lunch to dinner, strictly dittos from dinner to tea, well we repeat the morning programme. A lazy man takes to it like a kitten to warm milk; it is his ideal life realized—loaf, eat and sleep. In the evening we gather in the saloon, where songs, cards or books fill up the time until 10:30, when lights are put out, and we put ourselves in our little beds to dream, or perchance, to listen to the lonely call of the watch and the unromantic clatter of the sailors above us as they shift the sails (my pen is not in good working order,) and of the dishes and things as the ship rolls in the restless waters. The prevailing dullness is occasionally broken by the

INCIDENTS OF THE PASSAGE.

Only love for us, or hunger, or both, the gulls and Mother Carey's chickens are loth to go, following us a long way out, but disdaining to take passage in our shell. On the Banks—so called because the water is only seven hundred feet deep—we run through schools of porpoises—the other members of the marine family failing to appear, possibly, on account of the prevailing dampness. The porpoises are jolly dogs, especially when they are taking a bath in the surf. A sail, anything in fact, is a sensation at sea. One morning a brig, with every sail set, appeared off against the horizon—a beautiful sight; and on the Banks, we passed close by a fishing vessel, the crew being out in a smaller boat catching cod. In the black waters of mid-ocean five weary days went by without a sail, a fish or a bird in sight; alone through the trackless void the mighty engines drove us on, on—whither, who could tell? At one time we were on the fifty-seventh parallel, where great-coats and thick wraps are indispensable, and where the days encroach on the summer nights almost to their annihilation.

The first day of July is Dominion Day, and our Canadian friends duly celebrated it. All the bunting on board was run up, amid cheers and a sonorous song. The sun that night did its level best, and just as the great ball of fire dropped, as if it had been sent for, into the water, a gun was fired and rockets whizzed in honor of the occasion. Speeches, toasts and songs lasted till midnight in the saloon. Sentiments in honor of "our gracious Queen" were offered; the mother country was lauded to the skies; a wish applauded for the downfall of republicanism in France and the return of the Orleans Princes to their "rightful" places; and such songs as "Britannia rules the waves," and "Trafalgar Bay," drowned all the rest. Britannia does rule our waves, for her ensigns float over us.

Yankeedom laid itself out to get even on the fourth day of July. Horns and bells awoke the slumbering cabin at an early hour; and dinner was served at two o'clock, instead of four—extra dishes and free wine attesting the generosity of the ship. Then commenced the sports, for which great preparations had been made. Everybody was there; out of the steerage came queer faces, such, I fancy, as Dickens could have studied for matchless creations. Judges were duly chosen, and, at a signal, three sailors raced to the top of the masts, sliding down in a jiffy on the ropes—then three more. The winner performed the feat in fifty-one seconds, the masts being about one hundred feet high. Sack and sledge races, jumping from a board placed on two rollers, a procession of fantastics, climbing a greased pole, etc., followed. The most difficult test of strength was set down in the bill as the "Shellfish Race," and consisted in going up the main-stay hand over hand without the assistance of the legs. The gymnasium ladder is, comparatively, child's play. The prizes ranged from a bob to a pound—queer sums considering the nature of the celebration. In the evening, dancing was woven in among American, Scotch and German songs, speeches, sentiments and stories. The fireworks were let off about one o'clock of the morning of the fifth; and if, next day, there was an extra crop of headaches, were they not the usual sequel of excessive patriotism? I did not take one myself, (honor bright) but I shall not soon forget the scenes of that day.

THE SEA.

I suppose a beautifully little eulogy on the murmuring sea is now in order. I don't owe your readers any grudge, nor have I any desire to dwell on the sea in any sense. When the sun comes dancing over the ever-changing hills and valleys, causing the diamonds of the waves to sparkle, I admit that it is very beautiful; when the storm-fiend rides on the winds, it is grand, awfully grand—one realizes then how little there is between him and eternity. The scenery of the sea, however, is too monotonous for a long spell of weather, presenting an undue proportion of water, which, at the best, is a thin, unsatisfactory substance, fit only for navigation.

How lately we look for land. Look, do you see that low, dim outline? It is land—good solid ground—or rather rock, so our old skipper says. Oh, rugged hills of poor, unhappy Ireland! Your barren fields are better than the finest sea the sun shines on; the humblest flower you bear is handsomer than the poet's choicest sentiment of waves. (Pardon this outburst of sentiment; it is nice to close with). The gray bare rocks of the first land we saw, Tory Island, did look absolutely beautiful.

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Mr. Roper—To amend clause 1, paragraph 2, section 6 of the 5th article of the Constitution.

Mr. Reese—To authorize the counties of Clarke, Morgan and Putnam to subscribe to the Athens, Madison and Eatonton Railroad Company.

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Mr. Trammell—To prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in quantities less than one gallon in two miles of Dallas, Paulding county.

Mr. Brantley—For the relief of the securities of G. W. Thornton, Tax Collector of Pierce county.

Mr. Barkwell—To create a Board of Commissioners for Pulaski county.

Mr. Walsh—To amend the 3d section of the charter of Augusta.

Also, to encourage the publication of newspapers in this State.

Mr. Clarke—To amend the act extending the limits of Augusta.

Mr. Foster—To amend section 4012 of the Code.

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Mr. Hudson—To compensate W. Henderson, Sheriff, and W. J. Ford, Deputy Sheriff, of Schley county.

Mr. Black—To prohibit the sale of liquors within one mile of Magnolia Institute, Sumter county.

Mr. Fort—To require Clerks of the Superior Court to record papers in civil cases before trial.

Mr. Edwards—To amend section 1244 of the Code.

Also, to regulate the school fund in Tattnall county.

Mr. Battle—To establish Free Schools in Thomas county.

Mr. Hill—To change the Constitution, and to provide for a reduction of the General Assembly.

Mr. Longley—To allow pleas in the Superior Courts to be amended without being sworn to.

Also, to make it a misdemeanor to offer extra wages, compensation or other means to induce or attempt to persuade laborers to emigrate from this State.

Also, to authorise to the Governor to draw his warrant on the Treasurer in favor of Dr. J. W. Calin for $170.

Also, to regulate the practice of granting license to daguerrean and like artists.

Mr. Clements—To provide for the payment of the claims of school officers and teachers for services rendered in 1871.

Mr. McBride—To regulate the legal advertising of Washington county.

Mr. McDaniel—To amend the act to incorporate the Athens and Eatonton Railroad Company.

Mr. McBride—To amend the act to amend the charter of Sandersville.

Mr. Rogers—To amend section 644 of the Code.

Also to incorporate the Georgia Savings Bank Company of Dalton.

Mr. McLellan—To prevent the carrying of deadly weapons

Also, to authorize Moses Tyson to practice medicine in Worth county.

Mr. Hunter—To regulate the manner of giving bonds by county officers.

Also, to declare the rights of a putative wife after the marriage has been declared void, and to define the status of her children.

Mr. Fort—To extend the lien of factors to dry goods and grocery merchants.

Mr. Baxter—To exempt all maimed and indigent soldiers from poll tax.

Mr. Phillips—To define the rights of the Oak City Hook and Ladder Company of Rainbridge.

RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Glisson offered a resolution that when the House adjourns it adjourn until Monday. Lost by yeas 44, nays 57.

Mr. Tutt offered a resolution tendering a seat on the floor to Hon. W. T. Gary, of South Carolina, which was agreed to.

Mr. Tompkins offered a resolution tendering a seat on the floor to Hon. W. G. McAdoo, which was agreed to.

Mr. Mills offered a resolution instructing the Superintendent of Public Works to examine into the condition of the State arsenal at Savannah and report upon the same. Rules suspended and the resolution agreed to.

PUBLIC LAWS.

Mr. Candler offered a resolution authorizing the Governor to purchase a sufficient number of copies of the public laws to be published by M. A. Hardin to furnish the members of the General Assembly and the civil officers of the State, provided they do not cost over fifty cents per copy.

Mr. Hudson offered a resolution authorizing the Governor to subscribe for 2,000 copies of the public laws prepared by the official compiler at such compensation as he may deem proper.

Under the rules the resolutions lie over.

FORM BOOK.

Mr. Pierce offered a resolution authorizing the Governor to subscribe for —— copies of Hines' Legal Forms, revised edition, for the use of the several counties in this State. Under the rules it lies over.

APPORTIONMENT BILL.

The Apportionment Bill was made the special order for Thursday next.

MEMORIALS.

Mr. Hogg presented the memorial of E. C. Murphy et al for pay of rewards offered by Governor Bullock for the capture of criminals.

Mr. Osborne presented the memorial of J. Wheeler et al for pay of rewards offered by Governor Bullock for the capture of criminals.

Mr. Richardson presented a memorial of J. A. Flournoy for refunding double tax, and proceeds of wild land lots improperly sold.

Mr. Wofford presented the memorial of M. H. Duncan for relief.

Mr. Hunter presented the memorial of citizens of Thomas county, relative to the extension of the Atlantic and Gulf Railroad.

All referred to Finance Committee.

Senate bills read the first time.

Quite a number of leaves of absence granted.

House adjourned until 10 A. M. to-morrow.

Atlanta Wholesale Price Current.

[CORRECTED DAILY.]

COMMERCIAL OFFICE, ATLANTA, January 31, 8 o'clock, P. M.

COTTON firm at 18½@19.

EXCHANGE—Buying at par and selling at ¼ premium.

FINANCIAL.—Gold buying at $1 12; selling $1 14. Silver buying $1 05; selling $1 09.

BONDS AND STOCKS.—Georgia 6s 75@77; 7s 84@86; new Georgia bonds at the State Treasury $1. Atlanta city bonds, 7s, 70@75; 8s 90@92. Augusta 8s@9. Georgia Railroad stock 82@83; Georgia Railroad bonds, 95@98. Atlanta and West Point Railroad stock 92@93; Atlanta and West Point Railroad bonds 94@96. Macon and Western Railroad stock 28@31.

GRAIN.—We quote white corn scarce 85; mixed, 80; in car, 85. Wheat best quality $2; red wheat $1 80@1 90. Oats 70@75. Rye 1 15@1 20. Barley $1 10@1 15.

BAGGING AND TIES.—Gunny 15; magnolia and other Western brands 16@16½; double anchor and Ludlow 16½. Ties 8½@9.

FLOUR.—Fancy $11@11 75; extra family $10 75@11; family $9 75@10; superfine $7 50.

BACON.—Shoulders 6½.

BULK MEATS.—Shoulders 6; C. R. sides new meat 8; clear sides 8½c.

LARD.—We quote buckets, 12; cans and kegs 10½; tierces, 9½.

BUTCHER'S MEATS.—Retail prices, corned beef in kegs 12½c; spiced 15c; hogs 8c; mutton 10@12½c; veal 10c; Sausages 15@17c; soup bone 10@25c.

FRESH MEATS.—Dressed beef by the side, per pound, 6@9; retail 10@15. Mutton, whole, dressed 10@12½, retail 10@15. Hogs, dressed, 7; 10@12½ retail. Veal, dressed, 10; retail 12½@15. Corned beef in kegs 12½; retail 12½.

SAUSAGES.—Linked, fresh, wholesale 15; retail 17@20; linked, smoked 15; retail 20. Sausages in 50 lb cans, green, 15. Bologna, smoked, in bags, 15; retail 20@25. Hogshead cheese, wholesale 15; retail 20. Blood pudding 15; retail 20. Liver pudding, wholesale 15; retail 20.

HOGS.—Buying prices, gross $5 50 on foot; net $8.

MUTTON.—Buying prices, gross 3½@4½; net 11c.

BEEF CATTLE.—Buying prices, gross 3@5; net 6@9½.

GROCERIES.—We quote: Sugars—Crushed Granulated and Powdered 14½. Coffee A 12½; for Extra C 13; Yellow C 13½. Brown 11½@12. Tallow 7. Liverpool salt $3 30; Virginia salt $3. The various brands of soap from Excelsior Steam Soap Works of Atlanta, from 6s7½c per box. Georgia Soap Factory—5s7c per pound. Candles—full weights 21@21½. Ginger 18@20. Pepper 25@28. Corn meal 85. Starch 6½@10. Rice 8½ for tierces. Java Coffee 27@30. Rio 22@24. New Orleans syrup 72@75; Molasses—hhds. 37; bbls. 33. Cheese, factory 17@18.

FISH.—Mackerel, No. 3, bbls., $10 50; No. 2, half bbls., $7 00; No. 3, half bbls., $5 50; No. 1, kits, $1 65; No. 2, kits, $1 50 No. 3, kits, $1 25

HAY.—Want of transportation has caused the advance. We quote western timothy at $40. Tennessee $36@38.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.—Buying prices from wagons. Eggs 30c; chickens 15@20; country butter 18@22@25; Tennessee butter 20@30

FACTORY GOODS.—Brown Domestics—Graniteville, 7-8, 11; Trion, 7-8, 11; Augusta 7-8, 11½; Graniteville, 4-4, 13; Trion, 4-4, 13, Augusta, 4-4, 13; Graniteville, 3-4 9½; Augusta, 3-4, 19½; light osnaburgs 10; heavy osnaburgs 17c; Yarns $1 65. Roswell shirtings, 7-8, 11½; 4-4, 13. Checks 14@16.

PRINTS.—Wamsutta 9; Bedford 9; Amoskeag 10a10½; Arnold 10, Albions 11½; Richmond 11½; Spragues 11½; Dunnel is 11½.

IRON.—Tire 1 1-2 inches to 4 by 1 1-2, $6; smaller sizes 50 cts advance. Rod, 12c. Axes, Collins' $14 00a15 00; Clark's $13 50. Shovels, Ames', $15 00; Roland's $13 00; Stone's $13 50. Solid cast-steel R. R. 18. Coffee mills $3 75a10 00. Cast-steel 25c; springs 22; axles 10a11; sad iron 7; horse shoe nails 20a25; I. B. Hames, $5 00, Andirons $65a$1 50.

POWDER AND SHOT.—Blasting powder $2 25; rifle powder per keg, 25 pounds, $7 25; half kegs $4; quarter kegs $2 25. Patent shot, bag, $3 25.

LEATHER.—Calf-skins—domestic $30a44 per dozen; French $45a66. Harness leather 38a45c per pound; sole leather, hemlock, 29a33½; oak 50a70c; split 40c; kips, coutry, 50a60 per pound.

STEEL.—Solid cast steel railroad 18c; cast steel 22c.

HARDWARE.—Hollowware, Savery's, 7c; Belting 20 per cent. off list. Fairbanks' scales, list net. Manilla rope 25 c; Cotton 30c; Jute 15c; greenleaf 7¼a7¾. Cotton cards $6 00 per dozen. Axle grease $21 00 per gross. Picks, common, 16½; steel 17½; mattocks 18½, axe helves $1 50a2 per dozen.

NAILS.—Per keg, 10d to 60d, $5 75; 3d, $6 6d, $6 25; 4d, $6 50; 3d, $7 75; fine, $9 25 finishing, different kinds of corresponding numbers, 75c on above prices.

FRUIT.—Apples, Southern $3 00a3 50 per barrel; Northern $4 00a5 25 per barrel. Bananas retail at 5c, or six for 25c. Cocoanuts 10a15c. Oranges 5a10c. Lemons 5c.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Retail from Stores: Sweet Potatoes $1 60 per bushel, 50c per peck. Table Peas $1 50. Turnips 25c per peck. Onions 50c per peck. Irish potatoes 50a60 per peck; $2 00 per bushel. Cabbage 10a25 apiece. Dressed chickens, retail, 15c per pound; turkeys 15a18c per pound.

GUTHMAN & HAAS,

No. 3 Granite Block, Broad Street,

ATLANTA, GEORGIA,

Wholesale Liquor Dealers,

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED

PRIDE OF PENNSYLVANIA RYE WHISKEY.

—AND THE—

OLD TRIUMPH.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

HAVING entirely withdrawn from the Furniture business, I beg to announce to my old patrons and to the public generally, that I will from henceforth devote my time more particularly to the sale of all classes and grades of

COFFINS & METALLIC BURIAL CASES,

and to the duties of

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DEFIES REFUTATION

To Lawyers.—A full report of the decisions of the Supreme Court is furnished to THE CONSTITUTION by the Reporter of the Court.

To Commercial.—We do not read anonymous letters and communications. The name and address of the writer are indispensable. Rejected communications we cannot undertake either to return or preserve.

ATLANTA:

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1873.

FOR CONGRESS,

FROM THE EIGHTH DISTRICT,

Hon. A. H. STEPHENS.

☞ A lady has been appointed clerk in the Boston Custom House. This is the first instance of the kind.

☞ Sixty thousand coal and iron laborers in South Wales are on a strike.

Public Documents.

Hon. T. M. Norwood will please accept our thanks for a number of public documents.

A Printers' Claim.

Boughton, Nisbet, Barnes & Moore were State Printers in 1864 and 1865. They did $39,844 87 of work, getting $18,000 of it. This left $35,844 87 due them, which, reduced to good currency, they estimate at $8,472 96.

They received from the State the amount in State Treasury notes.

They claim, and Col. Peterson Thweatt, the then Comptroller General, says, that they received these notes after they had ceased to be currency, and simply as evidence of debt against the State.

They did the work and the State has the benefit of it.

Under this state of facts these gentlemen are entitled to their money from the State, and it ought to be paid to them.

A State Geologist.

By all means let us have one.

The bill of Dr. Carlton, of Athens, for the appointment of a State Geologist and two assistants, whose duty it shall be to make a finished physical survey of the State, recording its entire geological and climatic features, is just the thing, and we hope to see it pass, unanimously, both houses.

We need this thing, and that miserable counterfeit of economy that has defeated it before this should have no recognition at the hands of a progressive legislature.

Georgia has resources of mineral wealth unequalled. We need an official chronicle of its details for the benefit of capitalists. The cost will be a trifle, while the benefit will be incalculable.

So let us have the State Geologist, and that quick.

Ten Thousand.

We publish, this morning, *ten thousand copies* of THE DAILY CONSTITUTION. We believe that this is by far the greatest issue ever made of a daily paper in Atlanta. Every copy is subscribed for, so that parties wishing extra copies can only be supplied through our afternoon edition, by sending in their orders at an early hour.

Our readers will find on our first page, besides our Washington correspondence, the first of a series of most interesting letters on a Tour of Europe. This promises to be a most delightful feature of this year's CONSTITUTION.

Correspondence from various parts of the United States, and some interesting communications from the people, are crowded out by the tremendous pressure of new advertisements. Notwithstanding this, however, we give the usual large amount of reading matter.

The immense run of advertisements is the more gratifying, as *nine-tenths of them* came to the office freely, without any canvassing on our part. Our patrons, while availing themselves of our great circulation, may be assured of our thankfulness for their favors.

The Atlantic and Gulf Railroad Extension.

The biggest single measure before the Legislature is a bill to give five millions of dollars of State aid to the Atlantic and Gulf Railroad to extend it 165 miles from Bainbridge to Pollard, Alabama.

This road now runs from Savannah to Bainbridge, 237 miles. It has as branches, the Florida and South Georgia and Florida roads, operating 346 miles under one management. It does not pay expenses, because it has no important western terminus, and runs through a poor country.

The State has a million dollars worth of stock in the road. Savannah has a million.

The extension of the road will put Savannah in direct connection with the West. It will shorten the distance from Savannah to New Orleans one hundred miles, or five hours. It will also shorten the route from New Orleans to New York over the Louisville rail route, the Norfolk route and the steamship routes, and thus it is claimed divert lots of travel and freights.

The Commissioners that represent the State's interest in the road, Iverson L. Harris, Wm. B. Fleeming, J. R. Alexander, W. B. Bennett, and B. P. Bruton, urge the measure.

They estimate that the extension will add a million and three quarters dollars to the annual income of the road, which puts the concern high and dry on a paying basis with a neat little net balance of a million of dollars after paying all interest on old and new bonds and the operating expenses. This rosy view of things would enable the road to pay off its entire bonded burdens in eight or ten years, and afterwards roll up yearly comfortable thirty per cent. dividends on the stock.

The Commissioners give lots of tables of the commerce of New Orleans and Mobile, of the routes used for freight now, the time required to ship freight, of the saving by the extension, etc.

The alternative is presented whether the State shall lose her million already in the road, or aid the extension, save her money, and make a good investment.

It will be seen that the measure is a big one and as complicated as it is large.

Was the extension of the road to be built in the State of Georgia we should not hesitate to commend. But to give the large amount of State aid asked to a road to be built in another state, subject to the discriminations of other State laws, and beyond the protection of our sovereign power, is a difficulty confronting us so formidable that we most gravely hesitate.

We shall discuss the matter fully hereafter, reserving our judgment until then.

☞ General Schenck's daughters are very much admired abroad, and the eldest is soon to marry the son of an English M. P. They are pretty, well educated, brilliant, and dress, says the Court Journal, with rare good taste.

THE NEW CONSTITUTION BUILDING.

Its Splendid New Building—Its Cost—Its Machinery—What it Does for Atlanta.

As we have never printed in our columns the cut of THE CONSTITUTION Building, we give it elsewhere in this issue. It has five stories, being one of the highest edifices in Atlanta. From its top, which is reached by a fine flight of stairs, a magnificent

VIEW OF THE ENTIRE CITY,

and of all the surroundings—Kenesaw and Stone Mountain upon the one side and Kenesaw upon the other, may be had. The old quarters of THE CONSTITUTION becoming utterly insufficient for the requirements of its rapidly increasing patronage, the proprietors determined to erect an edifice ample in capacity and perfect in its adaptation to the wants of the newspaper and publishing business. Consequently, a building was reared, which, in the completeness of its facilities and conveniences,

HAS NO SUPERIOR IN THE UNITED STATES.

Every floor is amply supplied with water and heating arrangements, and an elevator capable of carrying several thousand pounds runs with great ease and rapidity from the basement to the highest story. In fact, it would be difficult to suggest an arrangement for convenience, comfort or facility, which is not supplied.

THE BASEMENT FLOOR

is devoted to press work. Here is an engine of great power, driving five or six presses. The spectacle of all these presses (some of them of great size) running at one time, which is often the case, and throwing off per hour seven or eight thousand newspapers and other prints, is one of intense interest. These presses frequently run all night, and the fire in the engine is *never out*, save on the Sabbath. A little after midnight the printing of the morning paper begins, and, occasionally, after the Macon mail has been run off, the forms are returned to the composing room for additional matter coming in at a very late hour. The number of copies published of the Daily alone, for several weeks past, will average *over four thousand per day.* From the Press Room we ascend to

THE 2D, OR STREET FLOOR.

This is sub-divided into four rooms. Two front upon the street, one being devoted to general use, such as the delivery of newspapers to office subscribers, sale of papers to the news boys, etc.; the other room is the business office, admirably arranged for its purposes. Behind the counter hangs a splendid clock, telling the hour, the day and the month, offered by Lawshe & Haynes for the "Best Daily Paper in Georgia," and won at the Atlanta Fair by THE CONSTITUTION, the premium being also carried off at the State Fair in Macon. Facing the entrance, hangs a life-like photograph of Lieutenant General Thomas M. Acton, the famous traveling representative of THE CONSTITUTION, one of the smallest boys on the American continent, who is widely known throughout the South, and who can almost boast the naming after him of as many babies as Andrew Jackson.

The third room is devoted to the mail clerks, who pile up bundle after bundle of papers, which are then carted to the post office or trains. The fourth is the store room, in which a constant stock, of

FIVE OR SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS

in cost, is kept on hand, consisting of newspapers, envelopes, cards, etc., a new supply having been just received, including the finest and most beautiful *wedding cards.* Atlanta will need a quite a number soon. In this room we keep also a large supply of ink for the trade.

The front offices are supplied with two

MAGNIFICENT PLATE GLASS WINDOWS,

costing about three hundred dollars; and each floor front has four beautiful windows, of plate glass, all terra cotta capped most handsomely also by Pelligrini & Georgi. Ascending a stair opening from the sidewalk, we reach

THE THIRD FLOOR OR JOB ROOM.

This room extends the entire length and breadth of the building. Here is done every species of work, from the plain card to a book, and orders from all sections of the State are executed. There are few, if any, finer job offices in the South. Still ascending, we step upon

THE FOURTH OR EDITORIAL FLOOR.

The entire floor was originally intended for editorial use, but the increase of business was so great as to necessitate the surrender of one large room to a bevy of pretty bindery girls, whose nimble fingers have been for a month past, folding and stitching both day and night. There are still two rooms left for the editors, in one of which may be seen the bland, genial face of our political editor-in-chief; the other is used for consultation and library purposes, containing one of the finest of newspaper libraries, in a beautiful glass case, a New Year's gift from the employees of THE CONSTITUTION. If this little library room could speak, many a tale of political planning, of midnight councils, and of

ROMANTIC INCIDENT

as well, might be whispered by it. Many of Georgia's most distinguished sons in the forum and the field, her soldiers, statesmen and scholars, have councilled there. This explains, in part, why THE CONSTITUTION has shown, in its course upon politics, education and the great practical questions of the day, a wisdom and judgment almost infallible—our counselors have been Georgia's noblest and best.

And it was from this little room that some time since two wretched sinners escaped through a little side window, and precipitately down the elevator, thus successfully eluding a police officer seeking to interview them.

THE FIFTH FLOOR

is divided into two rooms. The front room is occupied by the typos of THE CONSTITUTION, and here perched in their lofty eric serenely overlooking the city and too high for interruption—for few climb this height except on business—they put into types the words and thoughts, that are the lapse of twenty-four hours are read by probably twenty-thousand persons. The second room is devoted to the binding of books.

And yet one moore flight of steps and we emerge upon

THE SIXTH FLOOR.

and this floor has for its ceiling the arched heavens, for it is the graveled roof, standing upon which we have a splendid and perfect view of the great Gate City of the South.

In this building, as we stated about a month since, the number of employees average daily

SEVENTY OR EIGHTY PERSONS.

It thus appears that THE CONSTITUTION newspaper gives employment to as many people as a large factory, and the people ought to appreciate it more for this reason. We doubt if it has occurred to one out of a hundred of our citizens how much money THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION *brings into the city* from abroad. To give a faint idea of the amount, we will instance simply one item—that of subscriptions. Our subscribers outside of Atlanta are now sending to us annually about the sum of

TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS,

and this amount is sent through the employees, expended and scattered throughout the city. We do not wish to be understood as complaining. Not so. Right royally have the people of Atlanta, and of Georgia, appreciated our efforts to furnish them a newspaper worthy a place in their affections and respect. The records of Southern journalism cannot show a grander newspaper success than that of THE CONSTITUTION. In [illegible] years has sprung to the front rank of American journals, wielding constantly tremendous influence and doing a business that will compare favorably with that of the great Northern press. But we do not claim this splendid result as the achievement solely of editorial and business management. Much is due to this, but we here record, what we never fail to acknowledge, that much, very much of the prosperity of THE CONSTITUTION is due to our brethren of the Georgia press, and more especially the weekly press. No paper ever had greater help extended it and more substantial favors shown it by the weekly press than THE CONSTITUTION, and this circumstance has given them a powerful share in building it up. The people, too, have extended a generous patronage, that disproves the slander that they will not amply sustain a paper true to their interests. We therefore close this article with an expression of profound gratitude to the people of Georgia and our brethren of the press.

We have written these word in no spirit of boast, for the facts are well known in this city. But in issuing to-day our prospectus, which will be found in another column, we thought it well to have a few words with our readers. We promise them great and continued improvements in THE CONSTITUTION; and the proprietor penning this article would say for the proprietors, that they have strong reason for indulging the hope that the close of 1873 will find THE CONSTITUTION wielding an influence second to that of no Southern journal.

Yankee Civilization Spreading.

That Japan Embassy that visited this country appear to have struck some things to their liking. They have gone home, and the result of their visit is the adoption in the Japanese Empire of lots of Yankee notions. They have adopted our chronology pretty nearly. Our New Year and Sunday and Christmas they have appropriated, save that our Christmas, with its bang and nogs, they apply to the memory of their first Emperor, who ruled 2500 years ago, or six hundred years before the Christian era.

Their nobility like our toggery, and will henceforth dye, cut off their pig-tails, part their hair in the middle, and wear spike-tail coats, and other European duds. The Mikado has determined to use our style of dining. Marriages are put in legal regulation. The national top-knot is to be cut off. One hundred millions for internal improvements is to be appropriated.

The Japs must have a Credit Mobilier.

The most important change, however, is the strange transformation of the government from its absolute character to a blending of monarchical and popular administration by the creation of a Parliament, with two houses.

The Mikado of Japan is evidently a level-headed fellow, bent on grafting progress on the stubborn Japanese policy of civilization that, for two thousand years, has clung like death to its stagnation.

We wish we could get the Mikado in the Georgia Legislature. If his quick intelligence has broken through the ponderous crust of twenty centuries of hide-bound and nationally cultivated prejudices, in a thorough awakening to progress, what would he have done if brought up under the full influence of modern civilization. The way he would knock the bottom out of the usury absurdity would be a caution to Crockett. And his support of free education would be as liberal and munificent as it deserves.

WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD CO., PRESIDENT'S OFFICE,
ATLANTA, GA., January 31, 1873.

Col. John Jones, State Treasurer:

DEAR SIR: I send you herewith by the Treasurer of this company $25,000, in cash, the rental due the State for the present month of January. Please send me the usual receipt of the Comptroller General for the amount. Very truly, etc.,

JOHN T. GRANT,
President pro tem.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
ATLANTA, GA., January 31, 1873.
(No. 85.)

Received of W. C. Morrill, Treasurer Western and Atlantic Railroad Company, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, rental for January, 1873, as per certificate No. 85 of John Jones, State Treasurer.

W. L. GOLDSMITH,
$25,000. Comptroller General.

THE CONSTITUTION'S SPECIAL

The Cotton Bill Probably Lost.

WASHINGTON, January 31.

AN ADVERSE DECISION.

The House Committee on Ways and Means came to an adverse decision on the bill for refunding the cotton tax, which was prepared by Congressman Beck, of Kentucky. They will report it back to the House, in order that the Southern members may have an opportunity to discuss the question.

A SICK LOBBY.

The cotton tax lobby will offer Congressman McKee's bill as a substitute, but it is not probable that either will pass.

Congressman Beck's bill contains stringent provisions to shut out brokers, claim agents, and all persons who have bought up claims.

CONGRESSIONAL.

In he House a conference committee was appointed on the sloop of war bill.

A bill removing the disabilities of A. T. Hardetta, of Mississippi, passed.

The balance of the day was consumed with private bills.

The Senate discussed the steam ship subsidies without result.

The Postmaster General contracted to-day with Dr. B. H. Peterson, of New Orleans for daily mail service from New Orleans to Alexandria, Louisiana, and a tri-weekly service.

BY TELEGRAPH

TO THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

SERIOUS FIRE IN CANADA

Franking Privileges Abolished.

WASHINGTON.

THE PRESIDENT'S VETO.

WASHINGTON, January 31.—The President sent the following veto message to the Senate to-day:

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, JANUARY 29, 1873.

To the Senate of the United States:

I have the honor to return herewith the Senate bill, No. 490, entitled an act for the relief of the East Tennessee University, without my approval. This claim, for which $18,000 was appropriated out of the moneys of the United States, arises in part for the destruction of the property by troops in the time of war, and therefore the same objections are intended to it as were pressed in my message of June 1, 1872.

Returning the Senate bill awarding $25,000 to J. Milnor Rest; if the precedent is established that the Government is liable for the ravages of the war, the end of the demands on the public treasury cannot be forecast. The loyalty of the people of the section in which the University is located, under circumstances of personal danger and trial, thus entitling them to the most favorable consideration of the obligation of the government towards them is admitted, and nothing but regard for my duty to the whole people in opposing a principle which, if allowed, will entail greater burdens upon the whole people than the relief which will be afforded by allowing the bill to become a law, could induce me to return it with objections. Recognizing the claims of these citizens to sympathy, and the most favorable consideration of their claims by the government, I would heartily favor a donation of the amount appropriated by this bill for their relief.

U. S. GRANT.

ALABAMA.

MILLER SEATED.

MONTGOMERY, January 31.—The Lieutenant Governor refused to put the motion to reconsider yesterday's vote, so Miller, Radical, was seated, and Edwards, Democrat, displaced. Edwards, Democrat, was absent. The Senator who had paired with him voted.

PENNSYLVANIA.

HARRISBURG, January 31.—The State Senate yesterday adopted a resolution instructing the United States Senator from Pennsylvania to vote against the purchase or control of the telegraph by the Government. The resolution was adopted by a vote of 25 to 1.

MARYLAND.

PORT DEPOSIT, January 31.—The Susquehana is not rising but the ice has gorged and the cold is making it harder and more fearful.

The thermometer stood at 22 degrees below zero last night.

MASSACHUSETTS.

PETITION.

BOSTON, January 31.—The Board of Trade passed a resolution petitioning Congress to amend the bankrupt law for a speedy settlement of the affairs of liquidating insurance companies.

TENNESSEE.

THE WAY OF THE TRANSGRESSOR, ETC.

KNOXVILLE, January 31.—Thos. G. Boyd has been sentenced to five years imprisonment and five thousand dollars fine for pension frauds.

CANADA.

FIRE.

RENFREW, January 31.—The Bank of British North America and several adjoining buildings were burned. Three persons were burned to death, and two seriously.

SPAIN.

A SPANISH PRINCE.

MADRID, January 31.—There is great rejoicing over the birth of a prince yesterday. The happy event was celebrated by singing the Te Deum in the churches, firing salutes and a general illumination of the city last night. The Prince is to be christened Louis Amadeus Fernando.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON.

THE FRANKING PRIVILEGE.

WASHINGTON, January 31.—The President has signed the bill repealing the franking privilege. The departments are moving for an appropriation to cover postage expense.

The commissioners appointed by the Governors of West Virginia, Kentucky, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Tennessee and Pennsylvania, who are here in charge of the Ohio River improvements, had a consultation to-day with Col. Carrington, Col. Hughes, and others of the Virginia delegation, favoring legislation for the benefit of the James River and Kenawha Canal. They agreed that the two enterprises are kindred and will urge early Federal legislation in behalf of both.

NEW YORK.

THE TWEED TRIAL.

NEW YORK, January 31.—It is stated that the poll of the jury for the third time after retiring the vote stood 11 for acquittal and 1 for conviction, said to be Mr. Hazleton, who remained firm to the close, notwithstanding the efforts of his associates to change him. Mr. Fullerton for Tweed, thinks the defense have won a great and unexpected victory. He says he was somewhat surprised that any of the jury should favor the acquittal after hearing the testimony and the inflamatory argumentative charge of Judge Davis. He adds that Tweed is in exceedingly good spirits and proposes to continue to fight with all the stubbornness in his nature.

Wheeler H. Peckham, of the counsel for the prosecution, is exceedingly mortified with the result of the trial, and strongly hints that the disagreement was secured in an illegal manner, and that the jury must have been influenced by mercenary motives.

The case will be immediately brought up for retrial, and the prosecution confidently look forward to a successful issue.

Exceptions in the Stokes case will be presented before Judge Boardman, to-morrow, in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, in this city.

FLORIDA

UNITED STATES SENATOR.

TALLAHASSEE, January 31.—S. B. Conover, Republican, was elected United States Senator to-day on the fifth ballot by forty-three majority. Twenty-seven Democrats voted with the Republicans. Both Houses adjourned till Monday.

KANSAS.

POOR POMEROY!

TOPEKA, January 31.—Pomeroy appeared by counsel before Judge Morton, of the District Court, waived an examination, and gave bail in the sum of $20,000 for his appearance at the June term.

Financial and Commercial.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, January 31.—Cotton—middling uplands 21½; Orleans 21½; sales 2,786 bales.

Cotton—net receipts to-day 1,418 bales; gross 3,751; sales for export 1,663

Cotton sales for future delivery to-day 14,150 bales, as follows: February, 20 9-16 a20 11-16, March 20 11-16a20½; April, 21a 21½; May, 21 5-16a 21 7-16 June 21¼.

Money closed at 7. Sterling firmer at 9½. Gold 13⅜a13½. Governments steady. States very dull.

Flour quiet. Whisky steady. Wheat very firm; offerings light. Corn quiet and firm. Rice strong; Carolina 8a8½. Pork easier at $14 25. Lard steady and in fair demand. Turpentine irregular. Rosin 7. Tallow quiet. Freights very firm; room scarce.

LATER—81s 19½; 62s 15½; 64s 15½; 65s 16½; new 16; 67s 16½; 68s 16½; new 5s 15½; 10-40s 15½; Tennessee 6s 62½; new 81½; Virginia 6s 45; new 50. Consols 55⅝; deferred 14. Louisiana 6s 50; new 45. Levee 6s 50; do 8s 70. Alabama 8s 84; 5s 55. Georgia 6s 75; 7s 90. North Carolinas 33½; new 16. Special tax 10. South Carolinas 40; new 23½. April and October 23½.

WILMINGTON, January 31.—Cotton—net receipts 294; exports coastwise 78 bales; sales 31; stock 3,351; weekly net receipts 976; exports coastwise 981.

LIVERPOOL, January 31.—Cotton steady; sales include 7,000. Yarns and fabrics firm with upward tendency. Turpentine 40.

LOUISVILLE, January 31.—Flour firm and unchanged. Grain firm; corn 42a43. Provisions active and very firm with slight advance. Pork $13 for round lots; bacon shoulders 5¾a5¾; clear rib sides 7¾; clear sides 8¼. Lard 8¾; for tierces; 9a9¼ for keg. Whisky firm at 88.

NORFOLK, January 31—Cotton; net receipts 2,002 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,749, exports coastwise 2,486; sales 570; stock 14,006; weekly net receipts 12,894; exports to Great Britain 1,746; exports coastwise 15,458; sales 2,671.

CITY POINT, January 31.—Cotton—weekly net receipts 608 bales.

SAVANNAH, January 31.—Cotton—net receipts 2,805 bales; exports to Great Britain 4,040; coastwise 1,405; sales 2,100; stock 73,900; weekly net receipts 16,627; exports to Great Britain 17,629 coastwise 2,507; sales 4,070.

BALTIMORE, January 31.—Cotton—net receipts 99 bales; gross 278; exports coastwise 189; stock 10,414; weekly receipts 1,175; gross 3,062; exports coastwise 1,494; sales 2,550.

CHARLESTON, January 31.—Cotton—Net receipts 1,751 bales; exports to Great Britain 4,382; coastwise 428; sales 730; stock 49,333; weekly net receipts 10,924; exports to Great Britain 8,181; coastwise 3,674; sales 8,900.

GALVESTON, January 31.—Net receipts 718; exports to Great Britain 927; to continent 900, coastwise 315; sales 800; stock 69,823; weekly net receipts 12,305; exports to Great Britain 4,476; to continent 4,300; coastwise 2,063.

MEMPHIS, January 31.—Cotton—receipts 974 bales; sales 725; stock 35,071; weekly net receipts 10,326; shipments 8,794; sales 11,500.

SELMA, January 31.—Receipts 922; shipments 1,107; stock 3,978.

PROVIDENCE, January 31.—Receipts 68, sales 1,700.

NASHVILLE, January 31.—Cotton—weekly receipts 2,139 bales; shipments 2,148; stock, 1873, 8,403; 1872, 4,235.

COLUMBUS, January 31.—Cotton—weekly receipts 1,817 bales; sales 1,231; spinners 136; stock, 1873, 10,215; 1872, 11,667.

MONTGOMERY, January 31.—Cotton—receipts 773 bales; shipments 1,031; stock 9,503.

MACON, January 31.—Cotton—weekly receipts 1,200 bales; shipments 1,974; stock 14,034

SAVANNAH, January 31.—Cotton—net receipts 23 bales; gross 2,919; sales 600; stock 7,000; net receipts of the week 425; gross 12,845; exports to Great Britain 370; sales 2,900.

NEW ORLEANS, January 31.—Cotton in moderate demand and irregular; net receipts 10,923 bales; gross 12,907; exports to Great Britain 3,935, to continent 625; sales 1,000, last evening 5,000; stock 306,494; net receipts of the week 29,605; gross 46,084; exports to Great Britain 17,324; to continent 18,506; coastwise 5,590; sales 50,000.

Western produce, groceries and provisions are all in tight supply and demand good at the following quotations: Flour—extra $7 75; XX $8; XXX $8 25a9 50; family $8 75a11 50. Corn 73. Oats 65. Bran $1 40. Hay—none here. Pork—old $14; new $15 12½; dry salt meats 5¼a5¾. Bacon 6¾ 7a9 3-4. Lard—Leaf Gerow $1 4a5 6-8; keg 9 3-4. Sugar—Inferior, 5¼a6¾; common 7¼a7¾; fair to fully fair 8a9; prime 9¼a9¾. Molasses, centrifugal 55; fair to choice 61a70. Whisky, Louisiana, 92; choice Cincinnati 97a98. Coffee 19a20.

Sterling 93; Sight ½ per cent. discount. Gold 1 15¾.

AUGUSTA, January 31.—Cotton—receipts 993 bales; sales 900; stock 12,438; weekly net receipts 4,897 bales; shipments 4,547; sales 4,700; consumption 157.

MOBILE, January 31.—Cotton—net receipts 2,693 bales; exports coastwise 1,698; sales 1,000; stock 31,694; weekly net receipts 42,244 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,416; coastwise 6,874; sales 10,200.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, January 31.—The following is a comparative cotton statement for the week ending to-day:

Receipts at all ports for the week	118,713	bales.
Same time last year	83,097	"
Showing an increase of	35,616	"
Total receipts for the year	2,346,604	"
Total receipts same time last year	1,941,502	"
Showing an increase of	405,102	"
Exports for the week	89,981	"
Same time last year	39,973	"
Showing a decrease of	50,008	"
Total exports for the year	1,193,440	"
Total exports same time last year	1,024,125	"
Showing an increase of	169,315	"
Stock at all United States ports	571,673	"
Stock at all United States ports same time last year	570,942	"
Showing an increase of	730	"
Stock at interior towns	94,110	"
Stock at interior towns same time last year	90,018	"
Showing a increase of	4,103	"
Stock at Liverpool	424,000	"
Stock at Liverpool same time last year	409,000	"
Showing a decrease of	15,000	"
American afloat for Great Britain	285,000	"
Same time last year	231,000	"
Showing a decrease of	54,000	"

FUNERAL NOTICE.

WARREN—The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Warren, are invited to attend the funeral of their little Son this (Saturday) morning at 10 o'clock, from the residence of Mrs. B. H. Pope, corner Walker and Fairlie streets.

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G. W. ADAIR,
feb1—d3t Real Estate Agent.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between

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—IS THIS DAY—

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BY

Mutual Consent,

MR. R. M. BERRY, RETIRING.

The undersigned will carry on the business at the old stand.

All persons holding claims against the late firm will please present them for payment at once, and all persons indebted to them will please call and settle.

COLLIER & VENABLE.

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NOTICE.

POLLED before me as notary, on the 30th day of January, 1873, by S. S. Trimble, of the 470th District (Dooly) G. M., of Pulaski county, Georgia, one dun cow, STAR, marked with a crop and slit in the right ear and swallow fork and underbit in the left.

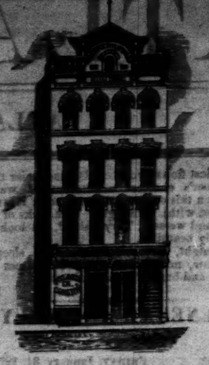
Also, one white STEER, with dark red spots and short horns, marked with a crop off the right ear and in the left.

Said cattle appraised by John H. Williams and R. F. Lee, Freeholders of said District, to be worth twenty-five dollars, and the say it is worth 30 cents per day to feed them.

The owner is hereby notified to appear before me and prove property, pay costs and expenses, and take them away, else they will be sold as the provisions of said Trimble, the 23rd day after taken from Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the 30th day of January, 1873.

Given under my hand and official signature, this 30th day of January, 1873.

JOHN T. COOPER,
feb1—d3t Clerk.



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Every Georgian should, after taking his own *local* paper, subscribe for THE CONSTITUTION, published at the Capital of his State; and we would here return thanks to the people for a patronage, that has culminated in the *greatest newspaper success* known in the Southern States. THE CONSTITUTION, not yet five years old, has attained a circulation never reached by a Daily paper in Georgia, and has erected a magnificent five-story building of its own, as complete as any in the United States, giving employment to *seventy or eighty* persons daily, and running a half dozen presses by steam. Visitors to Atlanta are cordially invited to call and examine THE CONSTITUTION building and its powerful presses, printing four or five thousand papers per hour.

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CITY INTELLIGENCE.

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Dry Goods—Chamberlin, Boynton & Co.
Carpet Store—Chamberlin, Boynton & Co.
Legal notices from several counties.

PIANOS to rent at Phillips & Crews.

Net receipts of cotton to-day at all the ports 23,858 bales.

THE City Council were in session at midnight last night.

CABINET ORGANS $50, $85, $100, $125 to $175 at Phillips & Crew's.

OWING to the pressure on our columns the proceedings of Council are crowded out.

$325 will buy a new seven octave piano warranted, at Phillips & Crew's, Atlanta.

THE subject of establishing a City Hospital was referred last night by the City Council to a special committee.

COLONEL C. PEPPLES addressed the City Fathers last night in opposition to the Georgia Western Railroad.

THE report of the Committee of Council on the Georgia Western Railroad, adverse to further subscription to it, was tabled last night in Council.

THE RINK.—Don't forget the Rink opens to-night—the first time in two years. It will be open every day to practice and every Saturday night.

MR. J. W. BAUM had one of his hands severely frozen, the other day, out at the Ice Works, near the ammo. is.

A COMPLETE line of all size Saratoga trunks has just been received at Steinheimer Bros', New York Store, No. 39 Whitehall street. "Cheap for cash." jan26 d1w

THE friends of Prof. S. Leigh will be pleased to learn that he is rapidly recovering, and will be ready to resume his duties in the school room in a few days.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The communion services in this church have been postponed till Sunday (to-morrow) week. There will consequently be no lecture this afternoon.

MULES.—William Bowden & A. B. Latham have forty mules to sell on October time. Good paper, payable at the National Bank, J. C. Smith's office, Palmetto. Are now at Swann & Latham's stables.

WILSON manages to get more coal than some other dealers and sells all he's got at 40 cents on foot better pay Memphis price (30 cts.) than cause waiting for 35 cts. coal. Calarly or you will not get your orders filled.

IN the Catholic calendar to-day is the day of St. Ignatius, the Bishop and artyr, and St. Bridget, Virgin patroness of Ireland On this day in the year 1571 Father Segura and his companions were put to death near Chesapeake Bay.

THE Book Store of Phillips Crew, Atlanta, Georgia, is the place to buy satisfactorily both at wholesale and retail, everything their trade, from a Cyclopedia to a a School Prim-from a Bank Ledger to a Lady's Envelope. Whether you want, write to or visit them. Whenever you want any books, send a list and they will fix their prices thereto.

ADDITIONS TO THE EDITORIALDOM.—We have the pleasure of announcing that Mr. Howell C. Jackson has become one of the assoc editors of THE CONSTITUTION. He is a young n of fine attainments, and experience, we think'll make him a useful member of the profession.

We are gratified to announce also, Mr. P. T. Finch as associate editor. He is a graceful, interesting writer, and the readers of THE CONSTITUTION will certainly enjoy the productions of his.

THE REPUBLIC BLOCK.—Wave space to call brief attention to the action the Republic Block prepared for THE CONSTITUTION. Atlanta is justly proud of it. What old of Mr. Goodnow, is eminently just. The cities much to him. The Block, too, is alive with the best and most flourishing of our business. They furnish a fine illustration of Atlantberry, progressiveness and business success.

ATLANTA AT THE WORLD'S F.—Atlanta is to be represented at the great Wo Fair, at Vienna. We learn that our fellow woman, Mr. W. A. Slaymaker, will enter a specimen his school desk Exhibition. Mr. Slaymaker is patentee and manufacturer of school furniture, the manufacture of his furniture is rapidly being one of the leading enterprises of the city, as demand for his desks is increasing so rapidly it will require large additions to his present floor to supply it. Mr. Slaymaker is a gentleman of skilled vim and unbounded energy, and is bound to excel.

WEDDING CARDS.—THE CONSTITUTION Job Office has just received one of the largest assortments of wedding cards ever seen in this city. For beauty of design and finish and appropriateness they are unsurpassed and unrivaled. It must not be inferred, because THE CONSTITUTION Job Office has such a fine stock of wedding cards that they are to be used for the benefit of the bachelors of the establishment. Lent is on the 26th, and therefore, those wishing cards would do well to send in their orders at once. Rather the prophecy, "Marry in Lent and you'll rep

Supreme Court.

[SUPREME COURT CASES REPORTED EXPRESSLY FOR THE CONSTITUTION BY HENRY JACKSON, THE COURT REPORTER.]

6	Albany	14	Rome
7	Southwestern	12	Cherokee
8	Pataula	13	Augusta
9	Chattahoochee	6	Middle
10	Macon	13	Southern
11	Flint	12	Eastern
12	Tallapoosa	13	Brunswick
13	Atlanta	6	

SUPREME COURT, *Atlanta*, Jan 31, 1873.—Argument of No. 14 Albany Circuit—The Board of County Commissioners for Lee county, et. al, vs. Daniel Humphrey—was heard and concluded by Byron Bower, Esq., for plaintiff in error.

No. 8, Albany Circuit—Gus Peterson vs. The State; murder from Dougherty—was argued for Plaintiff in error by Wm. E. Smith, Esq., and defendant's by John Rutherford, Solicitor General.

On conclusion of opening argument by D. Warren, Esq., in No. 16, Albany Circuit—Oliver & Keefer, et. al, vs. D. Greenfield, et. al; from Dougherty—the court adjourned.

GAY, MCCLESKEY & Co., 89 and 91 Pryor street, will offer for the next thirty days their stock of Winter Dress Goods AT COST, and all Woolen Goods and Ready-made Clothing at greatly reduced prices.

They have on hand also a large stock of Bleached and Brown Domestics, Shoes, etc., which they will sell at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

jan26—dtf-sun-tues-wed-sat-sun-tues

THE REPUBLIC BLOCK,

Its Origin, Construction and Occupants.

In February, 1871, Mr. William Goodnow, a Manager of the Republic Life Insurance Company, of Chicago, Illinois, came to Atlanta with a view to the establishment here of a branch office under the management of a Local Board of Directors. After spending about a month looking around the city and making the acquaintance of prominent citizens, he organized a Branch and commenced business in a first floor front office in the H. I. Kimball House. A gentleman of pleasing address, and quiet, unobstrusive habits, yet first-class business qualifications, he was not long in winning numerous personal friends, and business for the excellent company he so ably and so faithfully represents. But possessing an active mind and an enterprising spirit, which the strictest attention to his business obligations failed to fully employ, he sought and entered other fields of usefulness. Observing the large space opposite his office, east, in front of the Kimball House, which had once been a Public Park, he conceived the idea of having erected on Pryor street, fronting the hotel, a magnificent block of business tenements of uniform architecture; as the building of the hotel was attracting large wholesale establishments—now constantly increasing in number and business—to its vicinity, and stimulating the erection of large first-class stores and warehouses.

To conceive, with Mr. Goodnow, is to execute. He soon ascertained who owned the lots, and at once proceeded to them the building of a uniform block, in harmony, in all respects, with its surroundings, procured plans and proffered the loan of money by the Republic Life Insurance Company, to such as might not have the surplus funds to invest. His liberal and sagacious offer was accepted, the work commenced at once under his vigilant superintendence, and the completed

REPUBLIC BLOCK

is the splendid result.

The Pryor street frontal opposite the Kimball House, extends two hundred feet, subdivided into nine store fronts; and a depth of one hundred feet, each, on Decatur street on the north, and Railway Avenue on the south. Two store fronts on each end are four stories high, and the remaining five are three stories high—a parapet (surmounted by a flag-staff) rising some twelve feet above the central one. All the tenements have commodious and well-ventilated, and hence, dry basements, affording the best of storage for even merchandize most sensitive to a humid atmosphere. The foundations, broad and deep, are laid in solid rock and brick masonry; all the walls exterior and interior, are of the best material and superior workmanship. The pillars of the first floor fronts are all of iron, of beautiful design, and ample massiveness, and all the doors and windows are filled with single plates of the best French glass. The ends of the block, which rest, respectively, on Decatur street and Railway Avenue, are finished as fronts, and present an equally imposing appearance as the principal, or Pryor street front. Railway Avenue separates that front from the capacious and splendid Union Passenger Depot.

Such portions of the upper floor as are adapted to the purpose are partitioned into rooms and suites of rooms, for offices; other portions are divided into various size halls, commodious, well lighted and well ventilated, designed to accommodate private societies and public assemblages, or may be used as show rooms for large wholesale dealers. Water closets are conveniently placed in different parts of the block, and the entire interior arrangement and finish are in accord with the most advanced ideas of construction, and embellishment. The original conception, prompt execution, steady, persevering energy, rapid, yet substantial construction, and final, satisfactory, triumphant completion of this magnificent business structure, of which any city might be proud, reflects the highest credit on Mr. Goodnow, who deserves well of the liberal company he represents, and of the community of which he has proved to be so valuable a member.

The masonry work was done by Messrs. Healy, Berry & Co., and Mr. M. T. Castleberry; the carpentry by Messrs. J. C. Peck & Co., and Longley & Robinson; the iron work by Mr. W. S. Withers; the cornice and roofing by Messrs. Hunnicutt & Bellingrath, Atlanta, and Mr. Joseph Ourback, Chattanooga, and the terra cotta work by Messrs. Pellgrini & Georgi, which is a guarantee that the whole has been done in the most workmanlike and substantial manner.

OCCUPANTS OF THE BLOCK.

The proximity of the Republic Block to the Kimball House, and its unquestionable exterior attractiveness, as well as convenient interior arrangements for facilitating the expeditious transaction of business, caused every first story tenement, including the basements, to be rented before the building was completed; in fact, several were secured by enterprising first-class firms before the excavations for the foundations were commenced. This demand afforded an opportunity for bringing within a small compass almost as many different branches of business as there were tenements, every one of the highest mercantile standing and commercial enterprise, and whose firm name and business we will now present:

TOMMEY, STEWART & BECK, HARDWARE MERCHANTS.

This excellent firm occupies the double front on the corner of Pryor and Decatur streets, including the basement and first floor. They deal in every description of hardware, including everything required by skilled mechanics and contractors, embracing tools and materials of all kinds, which their high commercial standing enables them to buy, and, therefore, to sell, on the most favorable terms. This highly esteemed house commenced business in this city soon after the war—the first stock having been bought the latter part of 1865, and arriving early in 1866, before the tenement rented for its accommodation was completed. Composed of gentlemen thoroughly educated in the business pursued, and of unimpeachable private honor and commercial integrity, the firm readily secured the confidence of the public and a rapid extension of business—as is testified by the fact that the volume of its trade has increased from about $40,000 in 1866 to nearly $300,000 in 1873; and their trade is still increasing and extending.

Mr. V. H. Tommey, senior member and head of the firm, is now in his sixty-first year, and hale and hearty, with the prospect before him of many years of successful business enterprise and social usefulness—he being a sincere christian and an ardent Sunday school superintendent and advocate, and an active philanthropist. Born poor in trouhlous times, a plow almost the first implement remembered, and without the advantages of the commonest education, he ventured upon matrimony at the early age of eighteen. Tempted to overwork on his farm—working early and late and in all kinds of weather—his health failed, and he was induced to open a small store and embark in trade. Success crowned his efforts. A tinner doing a small business becoming indebted to him, and unable to pay, proposed to liquidate the claim by selling Mr. Tommey his tools. Not knowing what else to do, he bought material for tinware manufacture, and this led to shelf hardware; and thus from this small beginning, he built up a heavy hardware business, and rapidly acquired prosperity. The close of the war, however, found him stripped of nearly everything but a plantation, and an unblemished commercial reputation, of which, subsequently, he has laid the foundation, deep and strong, of a prosperous trade. Mr. Tommey is Vice-President of the Georgia Banking and Trust Company.

Mr. Stewart was also a poor boy, who, being ambitious of an education, saved enough money by farm work to prepare for college, and, then, by teaching school at intervals, earned the means required to meet his expenses until he graduated. He was an original member of the firm, is comparatively young, and now just in the prime of life.

Mr. Beck is a step-son of Mr. Tommey, of great promise as a successful merchant.

SPOKEN CHARY, JR., DIAMOND DEALER.

A suite of rooms, comprising one moderately large and two smaller ones, are ample for the display of the rich and costly goods offered the public by this house. The suite is on the second floor, corner of Pryor and Decatur streets, and over Tommey, Stewart & Beck. Although Mr. Sharp is popularly and widely known as the "Diamond Merchant" of Atlanta, if not of Georgia and the South, and makes a specialty of dealing in this gem, he keeps, in addition, a large and superb stock of watches, jewelry and bridal presents. His show cases are elegant—superior as to material, construction and elaborate workmanship—while his rooms are furnished by this firm, and finished in gorgeous suite of rooms is fitted up and finished in gorgeous style, producing brilliant effects. Mr. Sharp came to Atlanta in 1868, and has done all the time since an excellent business, which is constantly growing. In matters pertaining to diamonds and other precious gems he is considered "authority." Young, vigorous and full of energy and enterprise, it will not be his fault if a large business and ultimate affluence do not crown his efforts. His stock in his specialities is one of the largest in the State, if not in the South.

PARKINS & ALLEN, ARMORERS.

This firm is composed of Messrs. William H. Parkins and J. W. Allen, who, as enthusiastic and accomplished proficients in their profession, have been largely instrumental in leading and developing the architectural taste of our citizens, as exhibited in residences and public buildings recently erected, and now under construction. The two gentlemen composing this firm came here as strangers less than five years ago, and by their superior taste and skill, and close attention to their professional duties gained rapidly on the public esteem and patronage. The demands upon them for plans, specifications and estimates, completely absorbs their attention and time, and presents the highest possible evidence of the appreciation in which they are held. In Atlanta they furnished the designs for the Church of the Immaculate Conception, (Catholic;) Wesley (or first) on Peachtree, and Trinity (or second) Church, on Whitehall, (both Methodist;) St. Phillips, on Hunter, near the City Hall, (Protestant Episcopal)—all now building; the Governor's Mansion, and the private residences of Hon. ex-Mayor Jones, W. A. Rawson, Esq., and Major Wm. B. Cox, besides a large number of other public buildings and private residences. The designs for the City Hall and a church in Columbia, South Carolina; for church edifices in Dalton, Calhoun and Cartersville, Georgia; and Opelika, Alabama; and for high school buildings in Dalton and Cuthbert, Georgia, were also furnished by this firm, by which the improved public taste as influenced and manifested in this direction by it may be estimated.

P. A. FARRINGTON, MANUFACTURING AND REPAIRING JEWELER.

This gentleman has but recently removed to Atlanta, but comes "well recommended," with the reputation of being an industrious and skilful artisan. He occupies the new rooms on the second floor, next Parkins & Allen, fronting Decatur street, where he conducts the business of jewelry manufacturing, and jewelry and watch repairing.

O'CONNOR & ROBINSON—WHOLESALE MILLINERY GOODS

This firm occupies a room on the second floor, opposite those occupied by the three last named firms, which front on Pryor street, extends the entire length of the building, over one-half the storeroom of Tommey, Stewart & Beck. Business was commenced by the senior member of the firm in 1866, on Marietta street, but removed to its present eligible and elegant room last fall. This, we are informed, is the only exclusively wholesale millinery establishment in Georgia, and one of only three south of the Potomac and Ohio, the other two being at Charleston and New Orleans. The firm keeps a large, well assorted and judiciously selected stock of all the newest goods in their line, and propose to sell at prices as low and on terms as liberal as any other firm in the South or North. A success exceeding the most sanguine expectations of the proprietors encouraged expansion, the result of which is the present heavy stock of the rich and elegant goods suited to their trade.

HON. O. A. LOCHRANE, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.

This distinguished lawyer and jurist is of Irish birth and education, but came to this country when but a youth. Soon after his arrival, business engagements brought him to Athens, Ga., (about twenty-five years ago,) where his uncommon personal attractions and remarkably brilliant intellectual endowments drew the attention and elicited the admiration of the late Chief Justice Lumpkin. At the suggestion of that beloved and eminent Georgian Mr. Lochrane prepared himself for the bar, married into one of the most talented and influential families in the State, and settled in Macon, Ga. Here he soon rose to the front rank in his profession—filling successively professional offices bestowed by the people, the Legislative and the Executive, until, a few years ago, he reached that of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Georgia, from which he voluntarily retired to resume his lucrative practice. A fine scholar, of acute acumen, a profound thinker, fearless in expression, a splendid rhetorician and declaimer and close logician, eloquent in look, language and gesture, and possessing that wonderful and powerful combination of impulse, sympathy, overflowing enthusiasm, wit, humor, sarcasm and terrible denunciation, so characteristic of his countrymen, all united to an unusually prepossessing presence, it is seldom that Judge Lochrane, when he throws his entire strength into a cause, fails to add another triumph to the long roll of the past. Extraordinarily endowed as he is, it is only truth to add, that Judge Lochrane is intellectually capacitated to fill with credit to himself and the Union any office within its gift.

Judge Lochrane occupies a suite of rooms as an office in the corner over Tommey, Stewart & Beck.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR, COEUR DELION COMMANDERY.

The entire fourth floor on the corner of Pryor and Decatur streets is occupied by Coeur DeLion Commandery, and is divided into three apartments and a hall. The front apartment is about 30 by 45 feet, and being designed for a drill, (or banqueting) room is simple in inside finish. The apartment in the rear is about the same size, and is denominated the Asylum; finished in unexcelled gorgeousness of style, imperfectly described hereafter. Between these two are a spacious hall, uniting them, and also affording additional space for the Military exercises pertaining to traditional rites of this ancient Mystic Order; and a Council Chamber in which the ordinary business of the Commandery is transacted.

As already stated the apartment designated the Asylum is about forty-five feet long and thirty feet wide. The ceiling is beautifully frescoed an Italian, radiating from the centre in a circle, around which, on a rich raised illuminated gold lattery, is the motto of Coeur DeLion Commandery—"*In Hoc Signo Vincet*"—(in this Sign We Conquer.)

The design is an Italian Cross, frescoed in neutral tint; and at the several points, (or ends,) of the Cross are excellently well executed paintings portraying the features of the four Evangelists—Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. The remaining portion of the ceiling is frescoed in a style in strict harmony with the central ornamentation.

The walls above the wainscoting (which is about forty inches high) are richly decorated in fresco, illustrating the massive gothic architecture of the Fourteenth Century, and divided so as to represent the stalls of the Templars. Interspersed in the cornices of the arches are the Shields of the individual members of Coeur de Lion Commandery, with their names and their mottos. The Commandery now numbers nearly one hundred true and trusty knights.

In the East is a magnificent perspective representing the interior of a cathedral—in the distance a stained glass window, depicting the Crucifixion, and

In the centre foreground an armed knight on horseback. On each side of the perspective, in niches, are the Knights Templars in armor representing Past Eminent Commanders, Thomas W. Chandler, Esq., and Wm. H. Tuller, Esq., with their shields.

In the West is another equally magnificent perspective also representing the interior of a cathedral—in the distance a stained glass window, depicting that greatest and most momentous of events, the Resurrection, and in the central foreground an armed knight, on horseback, representing the great Richard of England, historically known as "Coeur de Lion," in whom honor this enthusiastic Commandery was named. On each side of the perspective, in niches, are two knights in armor, representing Past Eminent Commanders, Col. Wm. W. Boyd, and C. S. Fay, Esq., with their shields.

Around the walls, in the open spaces in the fresco work, are knights in the armor worn a different periods in the history of the Order, with their appropriate emblazonments.

The floor of the Asylum will be covered with costly heavy Brussels carpeting, of beautiful design and brilliant colors; and the furniture will be of the richest kind and most exquisite workmanship, in perfect harmony with the glorious, chivalric traditions of Knights Templar. The entire interior fresco embellishments are executed in the superior style which characterizes all the work of the eminent artist in charge, Mr. William Mackie.

In its new Encampment, this most Christian order will secure the amplest accommodations for its working sessions, and pecular traditional exercises. The taste displayed, and the outlay made, indicates that Coeur De Lion Commandery is in a highly flourishing condition.

CRANE, BOYLSTON & CO., WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.

This old, reliable and substantial house occupies the double front on Pryor street, adjoining Messrs. Tommey, Stewart & Beck, including the basement and three upper floors, and has been established in Atlanta about two years. The firm is composed of John G. Crane, Henry Boylston, Jr., and T. R. Egleston, all old experienced merchants of the highest integrity, and to a branch of the well known Charleston house, doing business under the same firm name. The house is the successor of the firm of Fort & Townsend, originally founded about half a century ago, who were succeeded by Townsend, Macdonald & Co., Townsend & Arnold, (the last named gentleman from Pike county, Ga.) and Townsend, Crane & Co., the immediate predecessors of the present firm. Mr. John G. Crane, the senior partner is a native of Wilkes county, Georgia. Mr. Boylston is a native of Charleston, and Mr. Egleston was formerly a member of the firm of Gen. E. Walker & Co., and afterward Walker, Evans & Egleston, Charlestonga, C.

Crane, Boylston & Co. make a specialty, exclusively, of dry goods, restricting their business to the wholesale trade entirely. By close attention, and keeping full lines of every description and class of foreign and domestic dry goods, fancy goods, notions, and studying the wants of dealers in the

wants of the country, the firm has succeeded, for the short time it has been here, in building up a flattering business. Old and experienced buyers, visiting Atlanta from first hands, at the lowest prices and on the best terms, and being, also, competent judges of goods sold in, their customers have a guarantee as to quality, while obtaining their goods at as low prices in Atlanta as they can be bought in any city North or South.

THE CITIZENS' BANK OF GEORGIA.

The first floor of the beautiful and imposing central tenement of the Republic Block is occupied by the above named institution.

That Atlanta has suffered all through her history for want of capital with which to transact the increase and rapidly increasing volume of business which flowed in upon her merchants, every one acquainted with her rise and progress full well knows. Scarcity of money crippled her energies and curtailed her trade, while the high rate of interest demanded absorbed much of the small profits gained. Foreseeing this, Mr. Goodnow and Col. Morrill consulted with several gentlemen of high financial reputation and of large means in regard to supplying the want, who at once entered heartily into the matter. The result of which was the procurement of a liberal charter, approved August 22, 1872, incorporating the "Citizens' Bank of Georgia," with a capital not exceeding one million ($1,000,000) dollars, granting the privilege of commencing business as soon as two hundred thousand ($200,000) dollars should be subscribed.

The design being to organize a strong popular bank of ample capital stock owned by citizens of surplus means—capitalists and willing to protect and benefit its customers and do a regular banking business at a more reasonable rate of interest than was then current, and thereby lift a heavy burden off the mercantile community and responsible borrowers, about twice the amount required was at once subscribed, and the bank organized by the election of the following officers:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

John T. Grant, Joseph E. Brown, J. A. Hayden, W. A. Rawson, Wm. Goodnow, W. C. Morrill and J. H. Flynn, of Atlanta; W. T. Walters, of Baltimore, Maryland; Jacob W. Seaver, of Boston, Massachusetts.

Subsequently John T. Grant was elected President, Perino Brown, Esq., Cashier, and W. H. Patterson, Esq., Teller.

The President is a gentleman of the highest social position, as well as of extensive influential family connections; unquestioned moral rectitude and shining Christian virtues. These conspicuous character istics, combined with unswerving integrity and uninterrupted financial success all through life, testify to the wisdom of the selection of Colonel Grant for the responsible position he holds.

The Atlanta members of the Board of Directors are of us and among us, and will at once be recognized as gentlemen of great moral worth, unquestioned probity of character, first class pecuniary standing, and, without exception, remarkable financial ability. Messrs. W. T. Walters and J. W. Seaver, who represent the Northern Stockholders in the Board, are gentlemen of wealth, successfully engaged in extensive and important commercial enterprises in their respective localities, and the South, especially with Georgia.

Of Perino Brown, Esq., the Cashier, it is almost superfluous to say a word—so wide and so enviable is his stainless reputation. A Christian gentleman of the highest and most honorable impress he has, united with a kind and sympathizing nature, extraordinary financial ability. No better selection could possibly have been made.

In harmony with the general wisdom exhibited in officering the bank, was the selection of Mr. W. H. Patterson for Teller, who, though young, has had a long and instructive experience in the routine of bank duties.

About one-third of the present capital stock of the "Citizen's Bank" is owned by Northern capitalists, who know that the South has in the will obtain all they can reasonably desire.

The banking room itself, which fronts Pryor street, immediately opposite the main entrance of the H. I. Kimball House, and extends the entire depth of the building—in completeness of arrangement and excellence of outfit and finish, can hardly be surpassed. Commencing, as one enters, at the wall on the left, about twelve feet from the door, the beautiful black walnut counter extends to within about four feet of the wall on the right, and, leaving a space of about four feet between it and the wall, extends towards the rear thirty or forty feet. Elaborate scroll and other work, in wood, ornament this extended front of the counter, which, on the inside, is a succession of closets and drawers; and, on its front edge is surmounted by a wire netting about eighteen inches high. Beyond the counter, on the left, and next to the wall, are a lunch room (for the attaches) clothing rooms for surplus garments, and a wash room and water closets. In the rear are, first, a large, well-furnished director's room, and a smaller private room, separated by a glass-filled partition. This interior work, counter, closets, etc., was done by Messrs. J. C. Peck & Co., and reflects much credit upon the firm. Behind the counter is a square of massive masonry, projecting about ten feet from the wall, and about twenty feet long. This is

THE VAULT,

which resting on an excavated foundation below the basement floor, is laid in solid brick masonry to the banking house floor in the strongest cement, and contains nearly 40,000 brick. On top of this, laid even with the floor of the bank, is a thick granite slab, which serves as a floor for the vault. The long side, next the counter, is a double brick wall, the vacuum between serving as air cells to protect the walls from the effects of intense heat in case of fire. The top of the vault is a slab of granite several in hes thick, resting on which, and fastened down, are one or more layers of heavy railway iron, covered by several layers of solid, hard fire-proof brick masonry. The vault has two copartments, one opening from the rear at the end of the counter, and the other opening from the front, near the cashier's desk. The rear compartment is designed for the safe keeping of valuable papers and other property of individuals and societies, and the front one, (which is about half the size of the other) for the property of the bank.

In this front vault is the

IMMENSE, MAGNIFICENT SAFE,

which weighs nearly five tons. This is really one of the most beautiful, strong, massive fire and rogue-defying inventions we ever saw. No description can convey an adequate idea of it; it must be seen to be fully comprehended and appreciated. It is what is known by manufacturers and bankers, as the banker's safe, outside measurement 55 inches high, 43 inches wide, and 24 inches deep. The front doors and sides are three inches thick, made of combined patents of Bessemer and Chrome steels welded and drill proof and blow-pipe resisting metal, Spiegel Eisen, which, red hot, is as hard as when cold. The safe is divided into two copartments, a partition two and a half inches thick running horizontally through it, making it really two-stories, with separate doors to each. The doors and locks are, indeed, wonderful specimens and grand, triumphs of ingenious mechanism, furnished with the following patents: Herrings & Farrell's Double dial Dexter Combination locks, nitroglycerine-proof fangs, tongue, (or wedge-proof) door, lock-up round revolving bolt work, lever hinge.

The safe was made by Herrings & Farrell, New York, and has all the latest approved improvements and is, therefore, superior to anything of the kind ever sent South.

There are inside and outside doors to the vault—the outside doors being made of half-inch boiler iron, and supplied with a Dexter's Combination Lock, with round revolving bolts; the inside doors are made of quarter-inch boiler iron, filling with suitable fastenings and Yale's Night Latch.

The inside arrangements of the banking house, the counter, sub-division into rooms, closets, etc., the construction of the vaults, and the purchases of the safes and other fixtures, and the supervision of the whole, while under the control, was intrusted to Messrs. W. Goodnow and W. C. Morrill, as agents of the Directors. The admirable interior arrangements and the substantiality of the work, proves the ability with which they executed the trust.

Thus it will be observed that so far as the intellect could devise and plan—so far as mind and unquestioned integrity and morality can go, and so far as human ingenuity, and power to invent safeguards against robbery can go, so far as all these mental and material forces can be supplied for the purpose, the Citizens' Bank of Georgia is safe as an investment, and as strong to protect its own interests and the interests of its friends and patrons as it is possible to make an institution of its kind.

THE ATLANTA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Has rented, and will soon remove into the elegant hall over the Citizens' Bank of Georgia, and immediately in the rear of the office of the Republic Life Insurance Company. This change of location places the Chamber in closer proximity to banks and bankers; nearer to where the heaviest business houses are concentrating; and near the hotels; and hence, more convenient to our city merchants and such of their customers and visitors from abroad as would like to do so, to attend the meetings of the Chamber, which, we venture to suggest, should be more frequent. This reconstruction embraces the members and most of our leading firms, and may be regarded as permanently established. Properly sustained, it is calculated to be of great benefit to the city, as no class of our citizens is better qualified to suggest and direct enterprises promotive of an extension of our commercial intercourse and influence, or supervise the finances of the city. In many instances they should find where they neglect to even participate or act. It is to be hoped that when the Chamber is fairly installed in its new home, it will be found advisable to have it open more, especially in the day time, and that papers from important cities will be subscribed for and kept on file for the accommodation of merchants from abroad who may be temporarily stopping here, as well as for the benefit of its own members and this community. The following are the officers for the current year: President, Benj. H. Crane; Secretary, J. F. Edwards.

MARKHAM & HOLDERNESS, WHOLESALE BOOTS AND SHOES.

In 1871, Mr. Marcellus O. Markham, a son of one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of Atlanta, commenced business as a retail dealer in boots and shoes on Whitehall street. He continued in this department of the business, meeting with unusual success, until September, 1872, when he removed to the tenement, next door to the Citizens' Bank, in the Republic Block, and changed his business to wholesale exclusively. During a portion of the intervening time, Mr. John Andrews, formerly of Griffin, Ga., has been associated with Mr. Markham as a partner; but recently Mr. Andrews was succeeded by Maj. W. T. Holderness, lately General Agent of the Knickerbocker Life Insurance Company. Compound thus of popular gentlemen of fine business qualities, and a widely extended acquaintance; and, besides, having a cash capital ample for the easy and profitable conduct of business, of any extent or amount prospectively probable, a yet more rapid growth may be reasonably anticipated.

E. P. S. KINSEY & CO., WHOLESALE READY MADE CLOTHING.

This firm is a branch of the great and extensively known house of George W. Reed & Co., of Philadelphia, wholesale manufacturers and jobbers of ready-made clothing and gents' furnishing goods—a house which has been established thirty-five years, and has done business within that time with every portion of the Union. Messrs. Kinsey & Co. removed their business in Atlanta in 1869 on Decatur street, but a few months ago removed into the elegant room in the Republic Block, over Messrs. Markham & Holderness, and opposite those occupied over the Citizens' Bank by the Republic Life Insurance Company and the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce. This tenement extends the entire depth of the building from the Pryor street front to the rear of the building. Connected as this house is with one so old and firmly established as that of Messrs. Reed & Co., possessing and employing a large capital and all the modern improvements for making up in the highest style of art and in the most substantial manner at the lowest possible prices, all articles pertaining to their business, it is easy to understand why the Atlanta branch enjoyed a constant gradual increase of business whose annual aggregate now amounts to double that of the first year, with prospects of a yet greater increase. No old stock is kept, but all articles are newly made in the latest fashions of the best material, bought on the advantageous terms always to be secured by skilled close buyers who pay cash—the benefits of which accrue to their customers in turn; and, hence the great success and prosperity of this enterprising and gentlemanly firm.

JORDAN, HOWARD & HARALSON—WHOLESALE TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

This firm was organized in 1868 for the purpose of engaging, exclusively, in the wholesale tobacco and cigar trade, and commenced business on Whitehall street. The senior partner, Mr. A. Jordan, was engaged in the manufacture of tobacco, before the war, Mr. A. G. Howard has been a dealer from his early youth; and Messrs. A. and M. Haralson are natives of a tobacco producing country. Hence their long experience in, and practical knowledge of this branch of business, and their extensive circle of business acquaintances, have enabled this House to increase its business to such an extent as to require the establishment of a branch House in Mobile, Ala., under the firm name of Haralson & Co., which is also building up a large business,—notwithstanding a number of other tobacco houses doing a heavy business have been established. Their sales continue to profitably increase, and goods to be sold to merchants in the States of Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi and Texas, in large quantities. In this connection it is not improper to repeat what has been truthfully said before, that the commercial facilities, geographical position, and above all, the superior climatical conditions enjoyed by Atlanta, unmistakably indicate the probability of her becoming one of the leading, if not *the* leading tobacco market in the United States. The magnitude attained in this line of trade, in Atlanta, within the past five years, is hardly known or appreciated by those not in the business, yet is sufficient to justify the preceding remarks.

M. O. & J. P. KIRBY, WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.

This firm occupies the basement, and first and second floors of the splendid double front on the corner of Pryor street and Railway Avenue, directly opposite the Union Passenger Depot. It is unquestionably one of the best business sites in the city and its selection by the occupants, (who leased it for a term of years before the excavations were begun,) is but another evidence of that enterprise and sagacity which has caused such a remarkable increase in the volume and expansion of the business of the house. The Messrs. Kiser came to Atlanta from one of the Northern counties in the State—where, in former years, they had done a country retail business—in 1869, and opened a retail dry goods store on Whitehall street. A large trade was soon secured, which gradually developed into the wholesale branch of the business, increasing so steadily and largely, that the tenements occupied proved inadequate to its demands. Consequently last September the firm removed into the large and commodious tenements now occupied. From a comparatively light retail trade based on limited capital, the sales of the firm have rapidly increased, until now they amount to several hundred thousands annually, with the prospects of a constant healthy increase every year. Sagacious, energetic and hard-working; exercising a wise discrimination as to credits, and a searching circumspection of their business in all its branches, and collecting closely, the Messrs. Kiser have acquired an enviably high reputation for business tact, qualifications and integrity.

WILSON J. BALLARD—FURNISHED SLEEPING APARTMENTS.

Everybody who has visited, or even passed through the "Gate City," will at once recognize the above as their familiar acquaintance and friend, Captain Wilson J. Ballard, who for eighteen years has had charge of the baggage at the Union Passenger Depot. Recently he has organized a Railway Baggage transfer, so complete, safe and convenient for travelers, and as prompt in service as those so highly esteemed in Northern cities. When the Union Passenger Depot was built a room was provided for a restaurant, where Captain Ballard supplies guests with the best the market affords.

In addition to all this, Captain Ballard has rented the rooms on the third floor of that end of the Republic Block, opposite the Union Passenger Depot, and furnished them in first-class style as sleeping apartments for the accommodation of such travelers or visitors as do not wish to register at a hotel. The proximity of these rooms to the depot, their elegant fitting up, and the prompt attentiveness of the porter commend them to the traveling public.

THE REPUBLIC LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

occupies the front half of the tenement over the Citizens' Bank of Georgia, opposite the main entrance to the H. I. Kimball House. This live, liberal and pre-eminently successful company was organized in Chicago, Ill., in July, 1870. Its capital stock is five millions ($5,000,000) dollars, which is distributed through nearly all the States of the Union, and comprises among its stockholders about two thousand of the most enterprising and wealthy business men and capitalists in the country, South as well as North. The Republic Life was projected and organized with a view of making such a company as the people would appreciate and insurance men would work for, and would at once secure public confidence. To this end, strength of organization, as shown by a large capital, and by having on its Board of Directors able and successful business men, and for its officers, experienced managers. Also, by adopting a more popular plan of business, by securing influential local influence, through Boards of Directors in all places where the contemplated branches might be established; and the substitution of a plainer and simpler system of conducting business, for the tardy and intricate one generally employed. Thus was laid the sure foundations, of a large, strong, and safe Company, whose rates, while lower than those adopted by companies known as mutual, are yet high enough to be safe, with abundant capital, judiciously distributed in proportion to the participation of communities in its operations.

In pursuance of its well-digested plans, as soon as the parent office was satisfactorily organized, the Republic commenced organizing branch offices in other parts of the country; and to popularize its policy offered, and such has been the energy with which its judiciously-selected agents performed their work, that, notwithstanding its brief existence, the company has organized branches with local Boards of Directors and stockholders in nearly one hundred cities and towns in the East, North, West and South, and the

A PATHETIC BALLAD.

A Beautiful Poem descriptive of "The Social Customs of To-day."

BY MRS. F. H. OAKES.

She who a stylish girl would aim to be,
Neglects no means to gain her end, "ye ev."
Lives there a girl dares wear no curl?
Times out of mind, they pin them on behind.

She will powder and paint, both red and white,
Her natural grace however, will not do;
She wears a sable skirt to sweep the dirt?
Times out of mind, they appear thus behind.

She will fume and fret till a hump she get,
As large as a full grown camel's, when set;
It has its own place, but none on her face;
Times out of mind, it has been worn behind.

Her dress is worn "en train" in all weather,
Her hat is filled with lace, flower and feather;
One sweeps the street, the other the clouds would greet,
This to days, infold, or this which behind.

She wears gold enough to "set up a Jew,"
And carries her hands "a la kangaroo;"
She's sharp she's not deaf—if misses in pelf;
Times out of mind, her dimes remain behind.

She arches her brows, and tries up her hair,
She abounds in ties, and gloves and sashes,
She ambles in walk, and mumbles in talk,
Or times out of mind, style is left behind.

She braids her switch, and ties it in a queu,
And wears her fringes, whatever she'd do.
She has pounds of hair, which in truth she don't wear;
Times out of mind this is pinned on behind.

Such is the "make up" of a stylish girl,
Who spends her life in a continuous whirl;
Or mamma depends—till heaven a husband sends;
Times out of mind, he's lagging far behind.

And this the estimate of a wide-awake miss;
From bows on her shoes, to lips which we kiss,
All about her is outlandish and outre—
Times out of mind, style's not a whit behind.

Close account, with this elegant creature,
Experience must be her only teacher;
Shun not for books, but dotes on looks;
Times out of mind, good looks leave her behind.

Another Accident on the Western and Atlantic Railroad.

The passenger train on the above road, due here this morning at 1:18, did not reach Atlanta until 6:30 this morning. The train was delayed by an accident which occurred to the freight train ahead of it. The freight train ran off about one mile from where the sleeping car ran off Wednesday night. The track was torn up and one or two cars broken. Other trains are yet behind.

An Important Bill.

Our Representative, C. S. DuBose, has introduced in the Legislature a bill to prevent persons convicted of larceny from holding any office of trust, honor or profit.

Charley's mind always looks to the morals of life, and in introducing this bill he has done his immediate constituents and the State at large a benefit indeed. *Of course so* wise a provision will meet with no opposition. *Warrenton Clipper.*

Summary of State News.

AUGUSTA.

Colonel E. H. Pottle, of Warrenton, declines to run for Congress from the Eighth Congressional District.——Major J. V. H. Allen intends presenting "Georgia" Fire Company of Augusta, an elegant banner, as an expression of this approbation of the Company.—*Chronicle and Sentinel.*

NEWNAN.

There is no scarcity of labor in this county. The negroes in the county have accepted the situation, and have, like sensible beings, gone to work.——We are glad to chronicle that building and repairing is still going on in our city. The e are at least a dozen new dwellings going up at this time.——A colored woman in this city, through mistake, administered a dose of croton oil, instead of castor oil, to her little boy the other day. The youngster soon expressed himself as being somewhat stimulated.—*Newnan Dispatch.*

COLUMBUS.

Mr. George Hungerford has been appointed clerk in the post office.—*Sun.*

SAVANNAH.

There is a scarcity of sailors in Savannah. *News.*

The new board in Savannah seems to be in earnest in regard to retrenchment and reform.——A colored company from Charleston will attend the inauguration of General Grant.——Savannah is excited over the extension of the Atlantic and Gulf Road to Pollard, Alabama.—*Advertiser.*

BY TELEGRAPH.

TO THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

TWEED JURY DISAGREE.

SENATOR POMEROY ILL.

NEW YORK.

TWEED.

NEW YORK January 31.—The Tweed jury having disagreed, were ordered to be locked up, and the court adjourned to 10 o'clock this morning.

At midnight the jury reported 7 for conviction and 5 for acquittal.

LATER.—The foreman announced it impossible for the jury to agree, whereupon the jury were discharged.

KENTUCKY.

THE ELECTION TROUBLE.

LEXINGTON, January 31.—A company of Federal soldiers arrived, but did not appear at the polls. The negroes around the polls largely outnumbered the whites, but the poll tax disfranchised two-thirds of them and the whites have gotten municipal control. The Democrats have five hundred majority.

KANSAS.

TOPEKA, January 31.—Senator Pomeroy has dangerous pneumonia.

Three negro incendiaries were hanged at Arrow Rock, Missouri, by the Vigilance Committee.

CUBA.

HAVANA, January 31.—The Verse De Cuba concludes a laudatory editorial of Amadeus and his schemes of reform, including the abolition of slavery, thus: "But we believe that, unfortunately, with or without reforms the submission of the rebels will have to be obtained with soldiers and arms.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, January 31.—A telegraphic dispatch to the Lloyds from their agent at Cadiz confirms the report that it was the Spanish steamer Murrillo which ran into and sunk the emigrant ship Northfleet off Dungeness light-house on the night of the 23d instant.

The steamship, however, was not sunk herself, as was at one time believed, but has arrived in safety at Cadiz. Her destination was Lisbon, for which port she had a cargo, but upon entering Bath harbor she was signalled not to land, as there is an extradition treaty between Portugal and Great Britain, under which the officers would have been surrendered to the British authorities to answer the charges brought against them.

She consequently put to sea again and proceeded for Cadiz as there is no extradition treaty between Great Britain and Spain.

The Murrello sustained no damage by the collision. Her officers and crew will soon be examined at Cadiz in relation to the disaster.

Financial and Commercial.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, January 31.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 21¼; Orleans 21¼; sales 1,326 bales.

Flour quiet. Wheat firm for prime stock. Corn steady. Pork firm; mess $14 37½. Lard quiet and steady; Western steam 9¾@ 9 5-16. Turpentine steady at 47½@48. Rosin dull at $3 70 for strained. Freights quiet.

Stocks very strong; gold steady at 1.9. Money firm at 7 per cent; Governments dull and steady. State bonds dull and steady.

LONDON, January 31—noon.—Consols 93¼@ 93¾. 6s 91¾.

PARIS January 31.—Specie increased half a million francs.

LIVERPOOL, January 31—noon.—Cotton firm; uplands 10; Orleans 10¾. Sales 10,000 bales; sales for the week 70,000. Exports and speculation 9,000. Stock 454,000. Americans 10,000. Receipts 20,000. American 16,000. Actual exports 33,000. Afloat 350,000. American 285,000.

LATER.—Cotton firm; Uplands 10 10-16; Orleans 10¾@10¾; sales 12,000 bales; speculation and exports 2,000.

EXTRA OLIVE OIL.

HEARD HOUSE,
LaGrange.....Georgia.
BY GEORGE C. HEARD.

THIS House has been recently thoroughly renovated and refurnished. The tables always supplied with the best the market affords. Polite attention will be shown to the wants of every guest of the House. Polite servants to take charge of baggage. feb28—3m

EMORY COLLEGE,
OXFORD, GEORGIA.

THE SPRING TERM begins January 15th, 1873. Tuition $45. Day board may be had for $16 per month, and board in families or clubbing, with fuel and lights, from $10 to $15 per month.

I. S. HOPKINS,
jan15co3tw Secretary Faculty.

Thomaston Hotel,
Thomaston,.....Georgia.

THE undersigned having taken charge of the above Hotel, takes pleasure in announcing to the public generally that no effort will be spared to make it a first-class Hotel, and every effort will be made to give satisfaction to all who will favor him their patronage. Rates reasonable.

sep16-dly H. T. JENNINGS, Proprietor.

Sims House,
LA GRANGE, GEORGIA,
THOMAS W. McGEE.....Proprietor.

THIS House is undergoing the most thorough repairs and will be filled out in the next few days with new Furniture. The traveling public will find the very best the market affords. Charges moderate. jan16-dtf

Reading Notices.

UPON the health of the teeth depends the purity of the breath. Preserve them unblemished by the use of the famous Sozodont, that perfectly harmless vegetable preparation, and you will never regret it.

jan28 d1w&w1t.

FOR an irritated throat, cough or cold, "Brown's Bronchial Troches" are offered with the fullest confidence in their efficacy. They maintain the good reputation they have justly acquired. jan28-tues-thurs-sat.

DR. TUTT'S Hair Dye is warranted not to contain any ingredient in the slightest degree injurious to the Hair or Health.

jan28-d1w&w1t.

DO NOT be discouraged. If you have dyspepsia or any disease of the liver, there is a long life of happiness before you, if you only use Simmon's Liver Regulator.

Jan28-deod&w1t.

SADDLES, SADDLES! HARNESS, HARNESS! At Chapeau & Heffron's, Charleston, South Carolina, you can purchase a set of home-made Buggy Harness at $15 per set, double harness at $45 and $50. New McClellan Saddles at $5 each. Always on hand a full line of Saddlery, Cart Harness, etc.

Remember! If you want a good and cheap article, call at Chapeau & Heffron's.

nov20-d3m

BACHELORS' HAIR DYE.—This superb Hair Dye is the best in the world—perfectly harmless, reliable and instantaneous; no disappointment; no ridiculous tints or disagreeable odor. The genuine Wm. A. Batchelor's Hair Dye produces immediately a splendid black or natural brown, leaves the hair clean, soft, beautiful; does not contain a particle of lead or any injurious compound. Sold by all druggists. Factory, 16 BOND STREET, oct2—d1y New York.

SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP—SEAWEED TONIC and MANDRAKE PILLS. These are the only medicines that will cure Pulmonary Consumption. Dr. Schenck has been in constant practice over thirty years continually examining lungs, and knows his medicines, if properly taken, will cure consumption. His Mandrake Pills cleanse the liver and stomach; his Seaweed Tonic dissolves the food, stimulates the coating of the stomach and aids digestion; his Pulmonic Syrup ripens the matter, and nature throws it off without any exertion. Prepared and for sale by J. H. SCHENCK & SON, N. E. corner Sixth and Arch streets, Philadelphia, and by druggists and dealers generally.

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Take Notice!
REMOVAL.

AFTER October 1st, I will remove to No. 8 DeGive's Opera House Block, Marietta street, where I trust to see all my old customers and many new ones.

Agricultural Implements, Seeds and Guano.

Send 75 cents for the handsomest and most extensive Illustrated Catalogue ever published in the South. Merchants can be refunded 50 cents on purchase goods amounting to Ten Dollars.

MARK W. JOHNSON,
DeGive's Opera House Block,
Marietta Street.
After October 1st, 1873.
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The Great Southern
PASSENGER AND MAIL
ROUTE!

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Fare as Low by Augusta
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ON
ALL NIGHT TRAINS LEAVING ATLANTA
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Splendid Line of Steamships,
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The Charleston Steamships
Offer every inducement to Travellers, with Tables supplied with every luxury the Northern and Charleston Markets can afford. And for Safety, Speed and Comfort are

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MONTGOMERY, WEST POINT AND ATLANTA
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For Sale.

1 NEW 7-ROOM HOUSE, very conveniently arranged. Terms very easy—one-fourth cash; balance in one, two and three years.

Also, FOR SALE,

BRICK! BRICK!

1,000,000 GOOD BRICK for sale by the manufacturer.

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SOUTH CAROLINA R. R.

ON and after Sunday, 15th instant, the following Schedule will be run on the South Carolina Railroad:

Between Charleston and Augusta.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leave Charleston	8:30 A M
Arrives at Kingsville	9:50 A M
Leaves Augusta	1:00 P M
Arrives at Charleston	6:05 P M

NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN.

Leaves Charleston	6:30 P M
Arrives at Kingsville	7:50 P M
Leaves Augusta	6:15 P M
Arrives at Charleston	5:30 A M

Between Charleston and Columbia

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Le ves Augusta	6:30 A M
Arrives at Columbia	7:30 P M
Leaves Columbia	8:00 A M
Arrives at Augusta	5:30 P M

NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN.

Leaves Augusta	6:15 P M
Arrives at Columbia	5:30 A M
Leaves Columbia	7:30 P M
Arrives at Augusta	1:35 A M

Day and night trains connect at Augusta with the Georgia Railroad and Central Railroad.

Night train connects with Macon and Augusta Railroad.

Night train out of Augusta makes close connection at Columbia with Greenville and Columbia Railroad.

Passengers for points on the Greenville and Columbia Railroad will avoid a tedious delay at night in Columbia by taking this route.

Elegant new sleeping cars on night trains between Augusta and Charleston.

S. B. PICKENS, General Ticket Agent.
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Edgewood School,
(Two Miles from Atlanta.)

THE exercises of this School opened January 13th. English branches, Latin, Greek, French, Botany, etc., taught.

Tuition $4 per month; board, $15.

Apply to W. H. MILLER, A. B.

Mr. M. refers, by permission, to Prof. H. H. Smith, Atlanta, Georgia, and A. M. Shipp, D. D., President, Wofford College, South Carolina; Hon. W. S. Jones, Waynesboro, Ga. jan24-d1w

Atlanta Select School for Girls.

THIS School opened on Monday, 13th inst., in a second story room of the Boggs House, corner of Forsyth and Mitchell streets. Solicits to 30 pupils. Tuition $40 per term of five months; one-half in advance.

J. H. LOGAN, A. M.
jan8-dtf

FOR RENT.

A STORE HOUSE ON
MARIETTA STREET,
From 1st of February. Enquire of
jan26-tf T. A. CHASTAIN.

Citizens Bank of Georgia.

Authorized Capital $1,000,000

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

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Horse and Mule Market,
J. C. EDWARDS & CO., Proprietors,
NOS. 909, 911 913 AND 915 N. FIFTH STREET,
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THE public are again notified that S. S. Grant & Sons are no longer employed by Jas. C. Edwards & Co., in the Horse and Mule Trade. Mr. Josephus Irvine being now associated as a member of said firm.

We are now prepared to continue the business, and pay cash for all good Horses and Mules brought to this market for sale; also, to feed and sell on commission, at the lowest rates. Liberal cash advances made on consignments.

A good assortment of Mules and Horses always on hand and for sale. J. C. EDWARDS & CO.
jan10—d1m

FOR SALE.

THE ELLIOTT PLACE CALLED "SUMMERLAND," located on the Etowa river, seven miles from Cartersville, Bartow county, and one and a half miles from the Cartersville and Van Wert Railroad. Contains fifty acres of best bottom land, more than half-cleared. The house is of brick, built in the best manner, two and a half stories, with No. 1 tin roof; contains sixteen rooms, plastered throughout, with marble mantles down stairs, and three piazzas. There is also on the place a fine brick smoke-house and necessary outbuildings of wood, fine orchard and flower-garden. Terms easy. Address

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O'NEILL & BARCLAY, Prop'rs.

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BARNES'
Albany House,
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Good Terms, and Prices as Low,

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Call and Examine our Stock and Prices.
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A GENTLEMAN of twenty years' practical experience desires the position of Book-Keeper in some first-class house in this city. Good references will be given.

Apply at this office. jan17-dtf

GEORGIA REPORTS.

WE WILL PUBLISH 57TH GEORGIA REPORTS Jointly. Part 1st, by the late Reporter, will be out by 1st February, 1874. Part 2d, by the present Reporter, will follow immediately. Both parts will be delivered only to those who subscribe and pay $5 in advance of publication. Payments may be made to either of us.

The bound volumes from 51 to 56, both included, may be had from either of us at $7 50 per volume.

N. J. HAMMOND,
Late Reporter Supreme Court, Georgia.
HENRY JACKSON,
Reporter Supreme Court, Georgia.
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Mardi Gras!

GRAND EXCURSION
TO
Mobile and New Orleans.
THE
GREAT AMERICAN CARNIVAL
AT
NEW ORLEANS,
TAKES PLACE ON
Tuesday, February 25th, 1873

This trip is regarded, by those who have been there, as one of the

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A MAGNIFICENT TRAIN
OF
Pullman Palace Sleepers,

With elegant Day-Coaches, Restaurants, and Baggage Cars run through from

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WITHOUT CHANGE, VIA
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"I am Sole Agent for this Line in Georgia," but for the accommodation of the "Dear Public," have placed tickets on sale at the various ticket offices in the State, and at other places convenient to all.

Tickets will be on sale from 15th to 22d February, good to return on any passenger train within

THIRTY DAYS
FROM DATE OF SALE.

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ATLANTA TO NEW ORLEANS and return...$24 25
Sleeping car fare extra.
Sections or berths can be secured by addressing

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WHY IT IS BEST.

Least difficulty in learning it.
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Does fine work equal to any other.
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Does nothing ill or grudgingly.
Gives satisfaction.
Exceeds expectation.
Justifies the praise it everywhere receives.
Owners of other machines are anxious to exchange for it.

We have a large number of the late Improved Howe, Singer and Wheeler & Wilson machines we have taken in exchange at a nominal price, for sale VERY CHEAP.

Agents wanted.

Domestic Sewing Machine Company,
No. 4 DeGive's Opera House,
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Grand Excursion Trip
TO
NEW ORLEANS
—AND—
MOBILE,
VIA
The Atlanta and New Orleans Short Line,
TO THE
Great Mardi Gras Carnival
AT NEW ORLEANS,
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This is a splendid and gorgeous trip that no one should fail to take. A full train of Pullman's Palace Sleeping Cars, run through from Atlanta to New Orleans, without change, thus depriving the trip of all the discomforts of ordinary travel, and giving to it all the comforts of a magnificent home, and for a small consideration, giving our people an opportunity of seeing the most CARNIVAL FESTIVAL ever witnessed in this country.

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I am the sole agent of this line in Georgia, and the only one authorized to arrange for excursion tickets going through on this line without change.

Tickets over this line on sale at the Union Passenger Depot, Atlanta, good on any passenger train from February 15th to 22d, 15th, 1873.

Fare for the round trip - $24 25

Sleeping car fare extra.

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Opposite O. R. Jones, Esq., and Georgia Railroad Depot, the best "Coal Creek Lump" and Anthracite Coal. The new office and yard on the last named streets, we have found necessary to open within the last few days for the accommodation of our friends and the public in the eastern and southern part of the city, where they may at all times find our pleasant and accommodating little "JOE CORRIGAN" to wait upon them.

Call at either office, and we will sell you

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At FAIR PRICES, for grates or manufactories.
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Atlanta Dye Works!

The Largest Establishment of its Kind
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DYEING AND CLEANING
IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, AND BY A FULL
CORPS OF THE BEST WORKMEN.

HAVING ENLARGED MY DYE WORKS AND increased its facilities in every respect, I am now prepared to execute all orders for Dyeing and Cleaning at the shortest possible time and at low prices. The recent delays in the delivery of work was due to the scarcity of hands. I have now, however, a full corps of experienced workmen

JUST FROM THE NORTH,

and am fully prepared to execute rapidly all work that may be offered.

OFFICE on MITCHELL St., near WHITEHALL.

JAMES LOCHREY,
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RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

Georgia Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Augusta	8:30 o'clock,	A. M
Leaves Atlanta	6:30	P. M
Arrives at Atlanta	6:40	A. M
Arrives at Augusta	5:30	P. M

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Augusta	8:15	P. M
Leaves Atlanta	8:15	P. M
Arrives at Atlanta	6:45	A. M
Arrives at Augusta	6:33	A. M

Accommodation Train.

Leaves Atlanta	6:45	P. M
Leaves Stone Mountain	8:45	P. M
Arrives Atlanta	9:00	A. M
Arrives Stone Mountain	7	P. M

Macon and Western Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER—DAILY.

Leaves Atlanta	1:45	A M
Leaves Macon	7:35	A M
Arrives at Atlanta	1:50	P M
Arrives at Macon	7:45	P M

NIGHT PASSENGER AND FREIGHT—DAILY.

Leaves Atlanta	9:00	P M
Leaves Macon	10:00	P M
Arrives at Atlanta	6:00	A M
Arrives at Macon	8:30	A M

Western and Atlantic Railroad.

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN—OUTWARD.

Leaves Atlanta	9:30	P. M
Arrive at Chattanooga	5:35	A. M

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—OUTWARD.

Leaves Atlanta	9:30	A. M
Arrives at Chattanooga	4:37	P. M

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN—INWARD.

Leaves Chattanooga	4:35	P. M
Arrives at Atlanta	1:15	A. M

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—INWARD.

Leaves Chattanooga	1:00	A. M
Arrives at Atlanta	9:15	A. M

FAST LINE TO NEW YORK.

Leaves Atlanta	4:15	P. M
Arrives at Dalton	8:47	P. M

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN FROM DALTON.

Leaves Dalton	6:00	A M
Arrives in Atlanta	1:35	P M

For Savannah via Macon and Western and Macon and Brunswick Railroad.

Leave Atlanta at	9:45	P. M.
Connect with the Macon and Brunswick Railroad at Macon at	8:30	P. M.
Arrive at Savannah	8:35	A. M.

Schedule of Rome Railroad.

DAY TRAIN.

Leave Rome	7:15	A. M.
Arrive at Kingston	8:30	A. M.
Leave Kingston	2:30	P. M.
Arrive at Rome	10:30	A. M.

NIGHT TRAIN.

Leave Rome	8:30	P. M.
Arrive at Kingston	10:00	P. M.
Leave Kingston	1:30	P. M.
Arrive at Rome	3:00	P. M.

St. Louis, Memphis, Nashville and Chattanooga Railroad Line.

TIME CARD, SEPTEMBER 1, 1872.

Leave Atlanta	8:30 A M	8:30 P M
Arrive Chattanooga	4:37 P M	1:35 A M
Arrive Nashville	12:30 A M	1:00 P M
Arrive McKenzie	8:30 A M	9:30 P M
Arrive Memphis	5:10 P M	2:35 A M
Arrive Little Rock		6:30 P M
Arrive Richmond	12:30 P M	12:01 A M
Arrive Union City	10:30 A M	10:30 P M
Arrive Columbus	12:30 2000	12:30 M A
Arrive St. Louis	7:30 P M	7:30 A M
Arrive Louisville	8:30 P M	8:30 P M

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Leaves Newnan	3 00	P M
Arrives at Griffin	4 30	P M
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Atlanta and West Point Railroad.

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN—(Outward.)

Leaves Atlanta	6 00	P M
Arrives at West Point	12 40	A M

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN—(Inward.)

Leaves West Point	1 00	A M
Arrives at Atlanta	7 30	A M

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN (Outward.)

Leaves Atlanta	8 30	A. M
Arrive at West Point	11 45	A M

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN (Inward.)

Leaves West Point	2 25	P. M
Arrive at Atlanta	7 50	P M

A. & F. Line Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—INWARD.

Leave Atlanta	6	A M
Arrive at End of Track	12	10 A M

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Arrive at Atlanta	6	35 P M

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Leave Montgomery	3 00	P. M.
Arrive at Mobile	8 00	A. M.
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